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## DECISION RESTS WITH CZECHOSLOVAKIA

### System Of Economic Assistance Proposed In Anglo-French Plan

#### M. Blum Dissatisfied With Course Of Events

Paris, September 20.  
THE DECISION NOW RESTS WITH CZECHOSLOVAKIA, writes "Petit Parisien" to-day, adding that it is difficult to foresee what that decision will be. The paper says that there is no doubt that when the Prague Government is in possession of all the details it will come to a better appreciation of Mr. Chamberlain's initiative.  
Nobody doubts, say the paper, that the sacrifices which Czechoslovakia asked to bear are enormous, but the paper asks whether the grave dangers menacing Prague are not much greater still.

#### POLISH GUARDS ON FRONTIER INCREASED

Warsaw, Sept. 20.  
Polish frontier guards on the Czechoslovakia border have been increased, according to official circles.  
This step has been taken on alleged military movements in Czechoslovakia and owing to the large number of deserters arriving in Poland from Czechoslovakia.—Reuter Bulletin.

The paper, which is often the mouthpiece of the Quai d'Orsay, says that the London plan also proposes the creation of a system of economic assistance in order to compensate Czechoslovakia for eventual loss of industrial and mining values and to enable her to place her national defence on a new basis. It would thus appear, says the paper, that the negotiators in London did not lose sight of the interests of Czechoslovakia.

M. Daladier and M. Bonnet had—conscious of their duty towards Prague—energetically insisted on Czechoslovakia being given a new statute in order to guarantee her security after eventual amputation of certain parts of her territory.

NOT EXPECTED  
The paper points out that England hitherto is only prepared to guarantee Belgium, and that less than one year ago nobody expected that England would extend her guarantee to Central Europe. The importance of this unexpected development should not be underestimated in Prague.

M. Leon Blum, in "Populaire," manifests dissatisfaction with the course events have taken. The

ex-Prime Minister writes that whereas Mr. Chamberlain travelled to Berchtesgaden in order to negotiate for a just and honourable agreement he returned with Hitler's own proposals.

M. Blum concludes that a war has been probably averted but under conditions which the writer, who had always struggled for peace, could not approve.—Transocean.

Prague, Sept. 20.  
The Czech Cabinet met again this morning at 11 o'clock under the presidency of Dr. Edward Benes, following meetings lasting seven hours and which ended early in the morning.

It is understood that the Cabinet is considering a Note embodying a reply to the Anglo-French proposals.

The Left Wing press declares that no Czechoslovak Government can accept the "humiliating Anglo-French proposals" and say, in effect, "Let us rather have war and go down fighting."—Reuter

MARTIAL LAW EXTENDED  
Prague, Sept. 20.  
Martial law has been extended to three further districts making 19 in all.

#### CHINESE PROTEST AGAINST SPEECH BY GOEBBELS

Berlin, Sept. 20.  
The Chinese Charge d'Affaires visited the Under Secretary of State at the German Foreign Office to protest against a certain portion of the speech by Dr. Goebbels at the recent Nuremberg Congress in which, referring to the opening of dykes of the Yellow River, he said, "These Chinese crimes are much more inhuman than the Japanese air bombardments."

The new Chinese Ambassador Mr. Chen Chieh is due here tomorrow.—Reuter.

#### CHARACTERS AT THE FRONT

By Jack Chen



## GUERRILLAS RECAPTURE HSI AKIASHAN

Nanchang, September 20.  
Chinese guerrillas, operating in the vicinity of Kuling, opened a sudden attack on Hsiakiashan, south of Kuling, on the afternoon of September 17 and recaptured the place after several hours' fierce fighting.  
More than eighty Japanese troops guarding the hillside positions were completely routed and a score of them were killed. A light machine-gun, together with 1,000 rounds of ammunition and many rifles, were seized by the Chinese.—Central News.

## SETTLEMENT OF CHAMBERLAIN TO TRAVEL BY SEA

Tokyo Rejects Geneva Invitation  
Tokyo, Sept. 20.  
It is learned that Japan will reject the invitation to settle the Sino-Japanese dispute under Article 17 of the League Covenant, received by Tokyo from Geneva this morning.

The invitation will be considered by the Cabinet tomorrow after which a statement, explaining Japan's attitude, is expected to be issued.  
Official quarters point out that Japan has consistently opposed the League's interference in the China incident and say that "any unilateral recommendation on the part of the Council will in no way contribute to the settlement of the affair."

Moreover they profess scepticism as to whether Article 16, whereby the League would have recourse to sanctions against Japan for rejection of Geneva's invitation, could be actually implemented.—Reuter.

Political circles here generally regard the coming meeting between Mr. Chamberlain and Herr Hitler as decisive for the clarification of the situation which has arisen in consequence of the Czechoslovak crisis.—Transocean.

## CHINESE RECAPTURE TANGSHAN

Chengchow, Sept. 20.  
After several days' fighting, Chinese troops broke into Tangshan, 47 miles west of Hsuehchow on the Lunghai Railway, and recaptured the town on Sunday morning.  
The Chinese are now pushing eastward to Hsuehchow along the railway line.  
The Japanese at Fenghsien and Peishien, northeast of Tangshan, have been "mopped up" by the Chinese.—Central News.

#### THE DOLLAR

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London Silver Market  
(Our Own Correspondent).  
London, Sept. 20.  
London silver prices today were up 1/16 for Forward and unchanged for Spot, as follows:—  
Sept. 19 Sept. 20  
Spot.....19-1/4 19-1/4  
Forward.....19-1/16 19-1/8

#### KING RECEIVES LORD HALIFAX

London, Sept. 20.  
The Foreign Secretary, Lord Halifax, had an audience with the King at noon and reported on the latest developments of the international situation.

Ministerial consultations continue in London and this morning callers on the Prime Minister included Sir Samuel Hoare and Sir John Simon. On leaving 10, Downing Street, Sir John Simon visited the Foreign Office.—British Wireless.

## DARING RAID BY GUERRILLAS ON NANKING

Shanghai, Sept. 20.  
Chinese guerrillas made a daring raid on Nanking on September 18, the anniversary of the Manchurian incident.  
From dawn to dusk the guerrillas fought a sanguinary battle with the Japanese garrison troops at the south-eastern and south-western outskirts of Nanking.  
The Japanese military headquarters at Nanking is strongly guarded by several companies of military gendarmes for fear of being attacked by Chinese plain, clothed men who are reported to be rampant in the city.—International.

## MALARIOLOGIST INVESTED

Dr. R. B. Jackson  
Receives O.B.E.

At an investiture ceremony held at Government House yesterday morning, His Excellency the Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote, K. C. M. G., invested Dr. Robert Best Jackson, M. D., B.Ch., D. P. H., O.B.E., Malariologist, in the Medical Department, with the insignia of the Order of Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, which Dr. Jackson received in "the King's Birthday Honours List."  
His Excellency said:—  
Dr. Robert Best Jackson, I have it in command from His Majesty the King to invest you with the insignia of an officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire.  
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## ALLEGED GRATUITY DEMAND

An Indian police constable appeared before Mr. Barnett at the Kowloon Court yesterday, charged with receiving a gratuity of \$3 from Lo Chak-yan, accountant of the Ng Tsau Dairy Co.  
The constable is Dalip Singh, P. C. B449, aged 27. It is alleged that he demanded a gratuity of \$5 from a dairy delivery-boy, Lau Tim-fuk, aged 16, accusing the latter of carrying more cans of milk on his bicycle than permitted by regulations.  
Det. Sub-Ins. C. Mottram prosecuted.

It appears that as the delivery-boy was riding down Waterloo Road, in the vicinity of No. 4 railway bridge, at 4 a.m. on August 31, an Indian police constable flashed a torch in his face, causing the boy to fall off the bicycle. He lost consciousness and suffered several bruises.  
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## CHEFOO STILL IN CHINESE HANDS

Loyang, Sept. 20.  
Chefoo, important seaport on the Shangtung peninsula, which was recently re-occupied by the Chinese, remains in Chinese hands.  
The Chefoo-Weihaiwei highway is also under the control of the Chinese who have warded off several Japanese attacks aiming to regain the town.—Central News.

## China Will Fight On With Or Without Aid, Declares General Chen

### Absence Of Foreign Help Will Serve To Steel Determination

Hankow, September 20.  
"WITH OR WITHOUT INTERNATIONAL AID, China will fight on," declared General Chen Cheng, Director of the Political Board of the National Military Council, and concurrently Chairman of the Hupeh Provincial Government, in an interview.

ASKED WHETHER HE WAS CONFIDENT THAT China's armed resistance will result in final victory General Chen replied:—"Our fundamental national policy is to seek salvation by our own strength. Our strategy dictates a protracted war of attrition. After the bitter struggle for more than a year, it may be said that the foundation for our ultimate victory has been gradually built up."

"The Japanese design to advance on Wuhan has met with stubborn resistance put up by both our soldiers and people. The Tokyo delusion of seizing Wuhan by the end of August is now completely exploded. We firmly believe that the Japanese will encounter greater military difficulties in the future which may bring about their military collapse," he continued.

TO STEEL DETERMINATION  
"Our complete conviction that we will win the ultimate victory will enable us to resist to the end. With or without international aid we will fight on," he said.

"The absence of foreign assistance will serve to steel our determination to seek salvation by our own strength and dispel all thought of relying on outside aid, thereby erecting the foundation of national reconstruction through armed resistance."

FAVOURABLE POSITION  
"Compared with Soviet Russia, in 1917, China is in a more favourable position. First, the majority of the nations of the world are sympathetic towards China. Secondly, the number of traitors is very small," added General Chen. "The Chinese people in the occupied areas are continuously supporting the National Government and are determined to continue the war of resistance."

"Guerrilla warfare has proved to be too difficult a problem for the Japanese to cope with. Thirdly, the influence of the traitors is small, they can not give much assistance to the Japanese."

"At present, China is solidly united against Japanese aggression. The Chinese people are carrying on the war under the supreme leadership of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek. China's position is far better than that of the United States during the days of her revolution. We will never become pessimistic in face of the present difficulties, but we are confident of our ultimate victory," concluded General Chen.—Central News.

## JAPANESE LOSE 70,000 SOLDIERS IN ONE MONTH

Hankow, Sept. 20.  
Military operations along the whole line of the Kinkiang-Nanchang railway ended abruptly to-day.

The lull in this sector is the result of the terrible losses suffered by the Japanese forces during the past few days and, according to General Chen Cheng, at least 70,000 were killed during this month.

During continuous fighting for the last ten days, the Chinese claim to have recovered Mahweiling although official confirmation is lacking.—International.

Her Majesty added that the strengthening of the military efficiency of the country was indispensable and announced that bigger sacrifices were necessary in the coming year to provide funds for defence and unemployment. Special steps would be taken for the defence of the colonies and the East Indies.—Reuter.

## “One Of The Wickedest Trades In Which Man Can Engage”

STANLEY HEROIN RAID SEQUEL  
"It is surprising that you five can stand up and face the world, engaged as you are in one of the wickedest trades in which man can engage. The trade can only result in the moral and physical deterioration of your own race," commented the Acting Chief Justice, Mr. Justice R. E. Lindell, at the Criminal Sessions when he sentenced Chan Yee, woman, and four men Lung See, Li Man-let, Chan Cheng-ling and Yu Kai-ming who were charged with the possession of 95,000 heroin pills, and red mass sufficient to make a further 50,000 pills to imprisonment totalling 16 years in all.  
Second defendant, Lung See, was sentenced to four years' imprisonment, while the other four were each sentenced to three years' hard labour.  
Mr. J. Whyatt, Crown Counsel, prosecuted and the accused were represented by Mr. D. J. N. Anderson, instructed by Mr. M. A. da Silva.  
The following jury were empanelled:—Messrs. W. J. Thompson (Foreman), Kai Pak-choi, L. G. Marques, Cheung Kwong-ting, R. Sleep, Yeung Wing-hong and W. Greig.  
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## EURASIA PLANES RESUME FLIGHT TO HANKOW

Hankow, Sept. 20.  
The air mail services to Hongkong are being resumed tonight. A Eurasia plane made a test flight yesterday.  
A plane is leaving every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday from Hongkong en route to Hankow returning to Hongkong the same day.—Reuter.

## Red Cross Work In China Described By Dr. Grey At Rotary Tiffin

### FLOOD REFUGEES AND CHOLERA

A highly illuminating address entitled "Red Cross work in China," was given before members and guests by Dr. R. B. Grey at the weekly tiffin of the Rotary Club held in the Roof Garden of the Hongkong Hotel yesterday.

The following were visiting Rotarians:—Messrs. K. S. Inai, of Shanghai, J. M. Hansen, Lewis Smythe and Yen Te-ching, of Nanking, and W. Yinson Lee, of Shanghai.

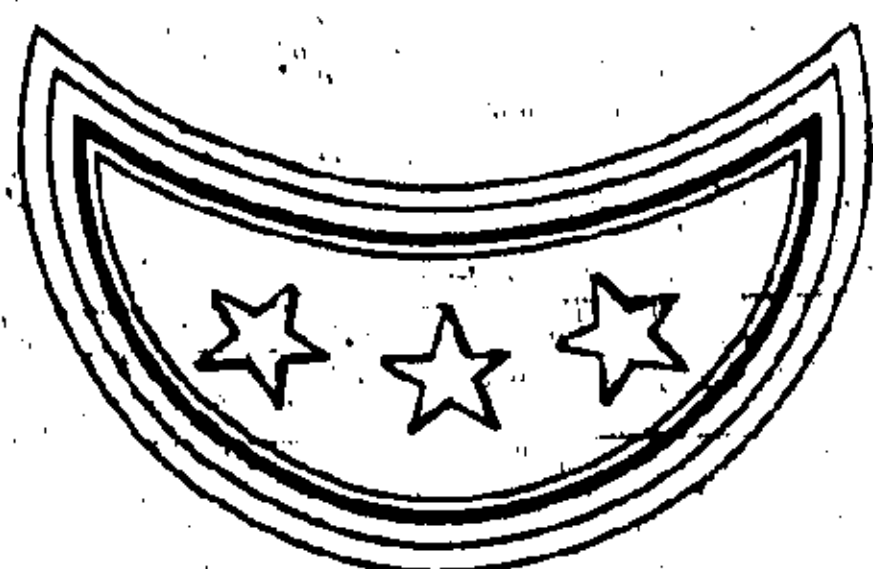
## CORRESPONDENTS ARRESTED AT SUDETEN RALLY

Berlin, Sept. 20.  
Reuter's correspondent, Mr. Kenneth Anderson, and the Associated Press correspondent, Mr. Melvin Whiteleather, were arrested yesterday at the Sudeten rally in Dresden.  
They were detained for an hour and a quarter on suspicion of being spies, but were afterwards released.—Reuter.

Visiting guests were:—Hon. Mr. R. A. C. North, Hon. Dr. P. B. Selwyn-Clarke, Dr. H. C. Tremewan, of New Zealand, Dr. Donald Hankey, of New Zealand, Mr. Percy Chen and Captain J. Hunter.

MR. L. SMYTHE  
Hon. Dr. Li Shu-fan presided and before introducing the speaker of the day, mentioned that the Club was fortunate in having the presence of Mr. L. Smythe who had experiences of the recent hostilities in the Nanking area. Mr. Smythe, continued the chairman, was the Secretary and Treasurer of the Nanking Relief Committee, who  
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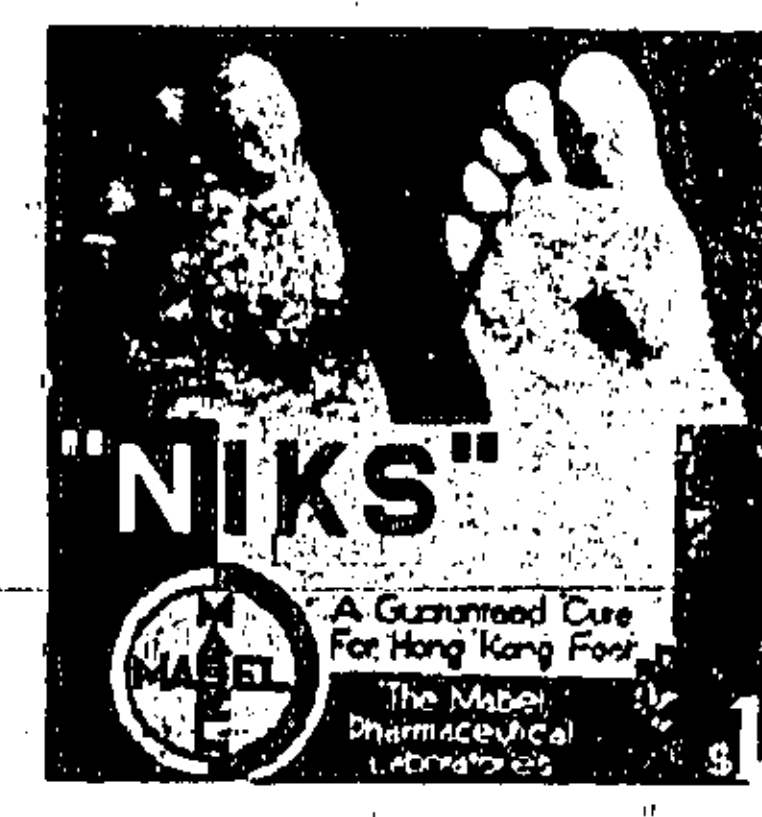
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FEWER MOON CAKES TO BE EATEN

As the money devoted every year for the celebration of the Lunar Moon Festival always reaches considerable amount, the people in Hongkong consider it improper to indulge in this wasteful observance during the time of emergency, says the "Industrial and Commercial Daily News."

The public are exhorted to refrain from consuming too many "moon cakes" and fruits or to use too many paper lanterns this year as they have been accustomed to on such occasions in the past. It is understood that the lunar cake dealers and the paper lantern dealers have expressed their preparedness to sacrifice their own interests for the good of the country.

Paper lantern dealers will not send their annual gifts of lanterns to customers this year, and money meant for that purpose will be donated to the "Offer Gold Fund."

## TRIAD SOCIETY PREMISES RAIDED BY POLICE

### 23 Men Arrested: Concert In Progress Claimed

An alarming statement that there has been an "anti-social movement" going on in the Colony, especially in the Wanchai district, victimising hawkers and people of lower walks of life, was made at the Central Court yesterday by Detective Sub-Inspector W. N. Dinkin, at the conclusion of a case in which 23 men were charged with being members of an unlawful society, before Mr. Butters.

The unlawful society concerned was the Triad Society, "with which," said Inspector Dinkin, "the police are, and have been having lots of trouble."

Members of this Triad Society were known to have been threatening people to join their organisation and collect subscriptions, demanding money from hawkers, and assaulting them if such demands were met with refusal.

"They consist of quite a number of dockyard coolies and the society is but a gathering of a bunch of rascals," said Inspector Dinkin.

#### RAID BY POLICE

The 23 defendants were arrested on August 20 when a party of police officers, headed by Inspector Dinkin, raided the premises at No. 74 Lockhart Road, third floor, on information received. The members comprised many unemployed men, car cleaners, a lift boy and a number of dockyard coolies.

When the police entered the premises, there was a band of Chinese musicians and a few sing-song girls giving a concert. There was a banquet in progress in celebration of some special occasion, for which invitations had been sent to members of the society.

## TRIED TO GET REVENGE

### Gave Police False Information

In an alleged attempt to get a sanitary coolie into trouble by giving false information to the police, an unemployed, Tse Kau, aged 19, appeared before Mr. Butters at the Central Court yesterday and was given three months' imprisonment, with the alternative of a fine of \$100.

Tse was also charged with the theft of a wallet containing \$12 and a wrist watch on September 18, for which he was sentenced to three months' hard labour without the option.

Inspector A. Wright said that the articles were stolen from a bathing tent in Big Wave Bay. Later in the day Tse telephoned the police station and said he knew who was the thief. A detective was sent out with him to Shek-O and Yung Shoi, the sanitary coolie, was pointed out as the man who had committed the theft. Tse also told the detective the watch was in the wallet. The detective was suspicious about this, and when questioned at the station the next morning, defendant admitted the theft himself. Defendant had a grudge against Yung, and was trying to get his revenge.

## THIEF CAUGHT BY CYCLIST

Chan Yun, 34, was convicted by Mr. Barnett at the Kowloon Court yesterday on a charge of larceny of a bag from a woman, Lai Ping-chi, 22, at Prince Edward Road on Monday.

Defendant was alleged to have snatched the bag and attempted to run away across a vegetable field.

A cyclist, Li Nam, 24, pedalled after him and ran him down. Defendant was remanded 48 hours for medical examination to determine if he is fit for a caning.

The men were found scattered about on the premises, some sitting on the floor and others lying on beds.

#### PAPERS SEIZED

In one of the drawers, many papers were seized. Some were found to contain reference to the Triad Society. Translations were made and produced in Court and three copies contained extracts from the book of rules of the society.

Mr. Fung Chee-tin, official translator of the S.C.A., quoted authorities for his translations on a book written by Mr. William Stanton on the Triad Society.

All defendants pleaded not guilty to the charge. They told the Court they were at the premises to listen to a concert. Some claimed that they went there to visit friends.

Mr. Butters held that they were guilty of the offence, holding the presumptions empowered by the Ordinance, that they were arrested in premises where documents in connection with an unlawful society were found.

Each defendant was fined \$50, in default five weeks' imprisonment. One of the defendants, Ng Kuen, a dockyard carpenter, was discharged.

Mr. C. A. Sutherland appeared for Ng and pleaded not guilty.

Ng told the Court that he went to No. 72, Lockhart Road, to look for a doctor. The doctor was in the premises raided by the police. He saw the doctor who asked him to wait. The police then arrived and arrested him with the others who were present in the house.

## WARNED PEOPLE OF APPROACH OF POLICE

A fine of \$100, in default two months' hard labour, was imposed on an unemployed, Chan Ming, 22, when he appeared before Mr. Edwards at the Central Court yesterday on a charge of obstructing Sub-Inspector C. S. Madgwick in the execution of his duty, by giving warning of his approach.

Chan was stated to have shouted "the Inspector is coming," when Inspector Madgwick was leading a party of police to raid a house at No. 2, Swatow Lane about 11.30 p.m. on Monday.

## DRUG-RAIDS IN KOWLOON

For possession of 869 heroin pills and keeping a heroin divan on the ground floor of 267, Reclamation Street, which, at the time of the raid carried out on it by R. O. Warden on the evening of September 12, accommodated 14 smokers. Li Chui was yesterday sentenced by Mr. Macfadyen to nine months' hard labour and fined \$850 or a further three months' hard labour. Cheung Hing, convicted on charges of keeping a divan on the first floor of 154, Shanghai Street, and possession of opium and heroin, was sentenced to six months' hard labour and fined \$485, in default, another six months' hard labour.

The Imperial Airways plane Della, which left yesterday for Bangkok, carried three passengers, 189.888 kilos of mail and 13,750 kilos of freight.

## KOWLOON CHESS CLUB

### Annual Report Published

THE KOWLOON CHESS CLUB are holding their annual general meeting at the Peninsula Hotel on Tuesday, September 27, at 6 p.m.

The annual report, which has already been circulated to the members, states:—

#### COLONY'S CHAMPIONSHIP

In the Open Colony's Chess Championship seven players competed for the title, five being members of our Club and two from the Victoria Chess Club. Mr. D. E. de Carvalho, champion of 1931, was the winner without sustaining a single defeat, though held to a draw twice. He is to be congratulated on his fine play and for regaining the Trophy.

For the second position Messrs. V. Rush and K. M. A. Barnett tied with 3 points out of 12. The Committee declared both of them runner-ups as it was impossible to play off the draw, due to the departure of Mr. Rush from the Colony.

It will be recalled that since last year both Chess Clubs collaborated in the organisation of this tournament, having formed a Joint Committee of representatives of the two Clubs. The final scores are as follows:—

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Pts.
D. E. de Carvalho	12	10	2	—	11
V. Rush	12	8	—	4	8
K. M. A. Barnett	12	7	2	3	8
Sir H. E. Pollock	12	4	4	4	6
B. Soltau	12	4	1	7	4½
J. S. Smith	12	2	1	9	2½
Dr. M. O. Pfister	12	2	—	10	2

#### SENIOR CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

Following were the results of the Senior Club Championship:—

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Pts.
V. Rush	16	15	—	1	15
K. M. A. Barnett	16	10	2	4	11
D. E. de Carvalho	16	9	3	4	10½
G. Kaye	16	8	3	5	9½
B. Soltau	16	6	2	8	7
A. Kurrik	16	6	1	9	6½
J. Kennedy	16	5	—	11	5
R. J. Elliott	16	4	—	12	4
P. A. Yvanovich	16	3	1	12	3½

#### HEADQUARTERS

For the third time in the last two years we have changed headquarters: on February 8th we moved to the Peninsula Hotel, being accommodated in the Reading Room on the 1st floor. Our new premises are most attractive and ideal for playing chess, because, apart from superb comfort, absolute quiet reigns. The Committee wishes to express its gratitude to our President, Rev. G. E. S. Updell, and the management of the Peninsula Hotel in connection with this happy arrangement.

#### TRAFFIC CASES

For failing to report to the police a collision with a motor bus at Nathan Road on the afternoon of August 29, A. H. Delacourt was fined \$5 at the Kowloon Court yesterday by Mr. Macfadyen.

For failing to obey a "stop" signal while riding bicycle in Castle Peak Road on the afternoon of August 20, S. F. Rozario was fined \$7.

#### EUROPEANS FINED

Miss A. R. L. Dowbiggin was fined \$5 by Mr. Butters at the Central Court yesterday for causing an obstruction by parking her car outside Kayamally Building, Queen's Road Central on September 6.

A similar fine was imposed on B. A. Batemen, of Jardine, Matheson and Company, for leaving his car unattended in Connaught Road Central on September 6.

Pleading guilty through a letter, Miss B. M. Elcheno, of Conduit Road, was fined \$15 for driving at an excessive speed of 36 miles per hour in Lockhart Road on September 7.

## COUNTERFEIT COINS IN PARCEL

### Coolie Sent To Sessions

Appearing on remand before Mr. Edwards at the Central Court yesterday on a charge of possession of 1,200 counterfeit Hong Kong ten cent pieces Chan Yin, 19, coolie, was committed to the Criminal Sessions.

Detective-Sergeant Ritchie was in charge of the prosecution, and it was stated that defendant was arrested by a constable in Connaught Road on August 9.

The coins were found strapped to his legs and stomach.

In the witness box, defendant said that he was asked to carry a parcel to the Asia Hotel by a man. He did not know the contents of the parcel were counterfeit coins.

Cross-examined by Sergeant Ritchie, defendant said he was asked to conceal the parcel.



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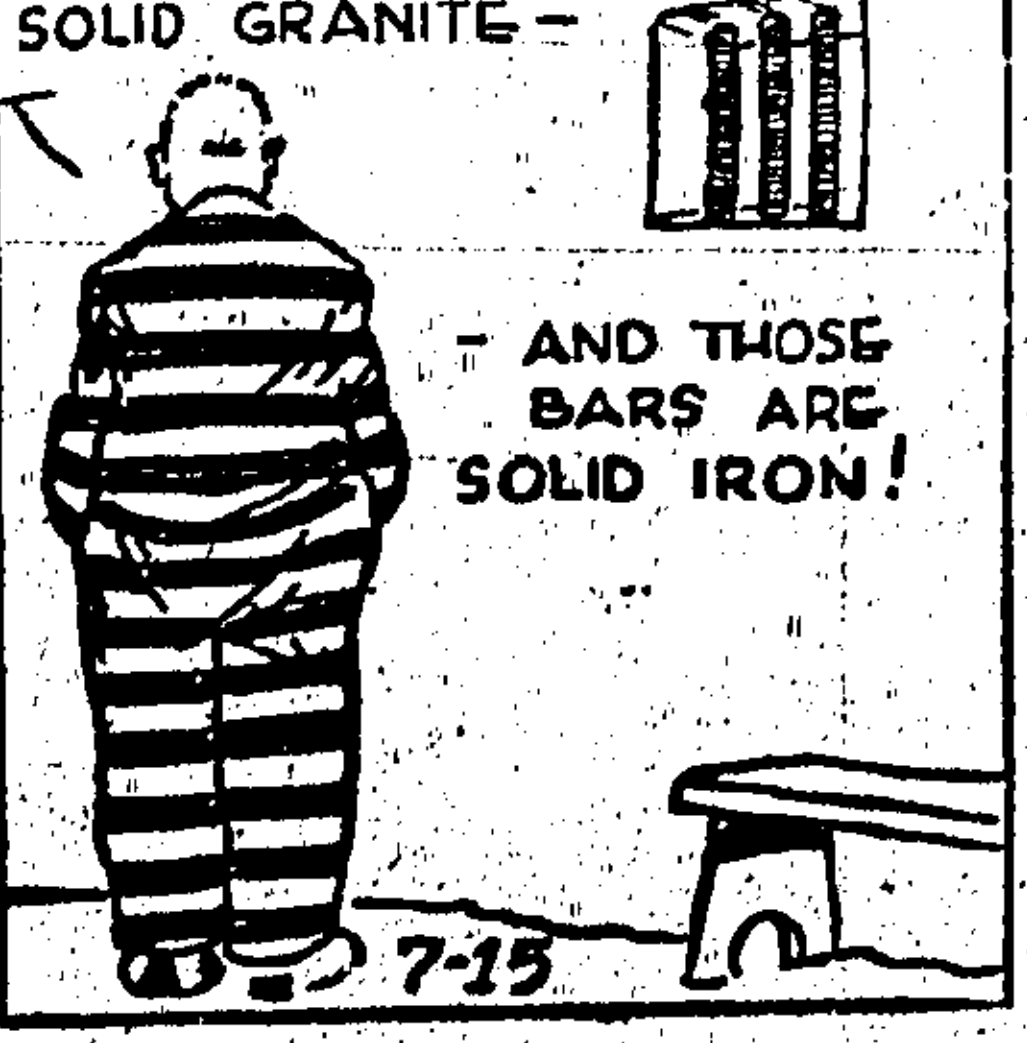
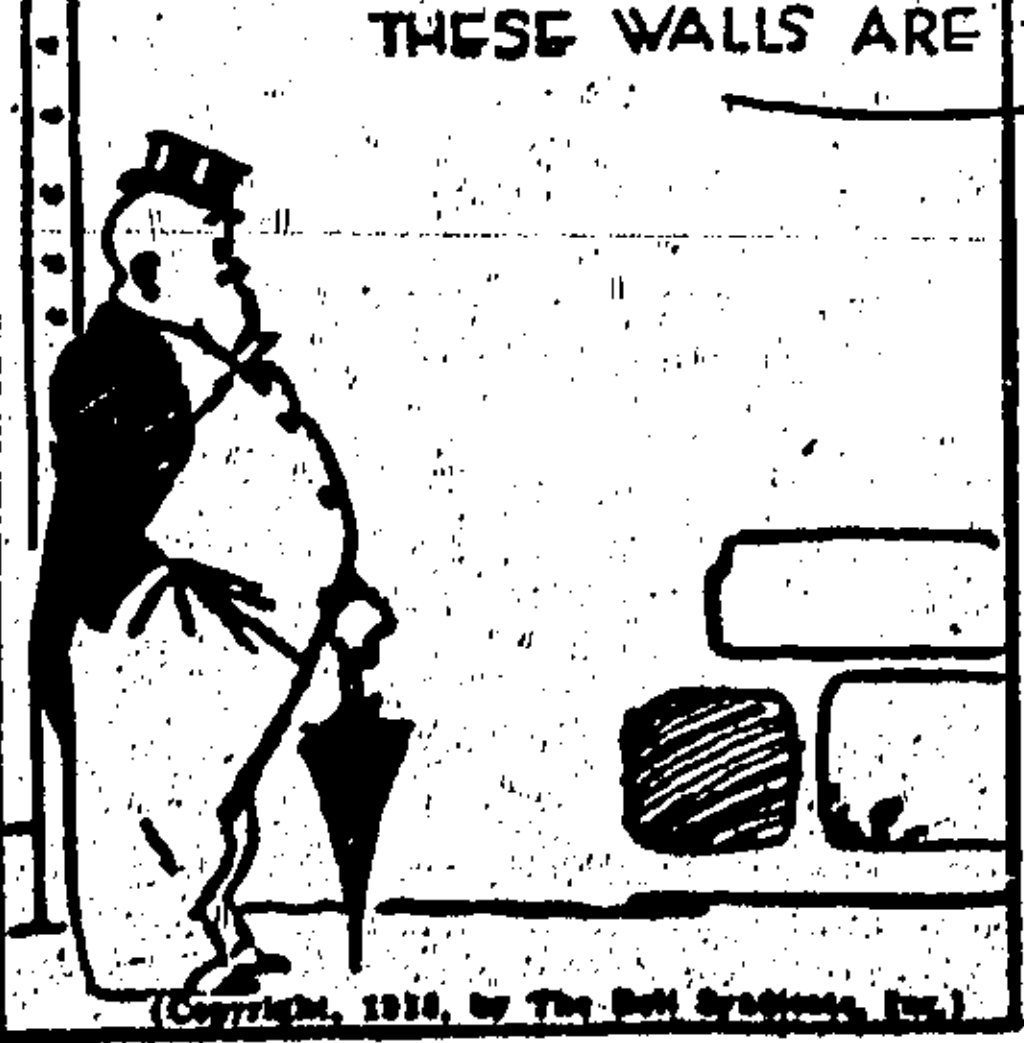
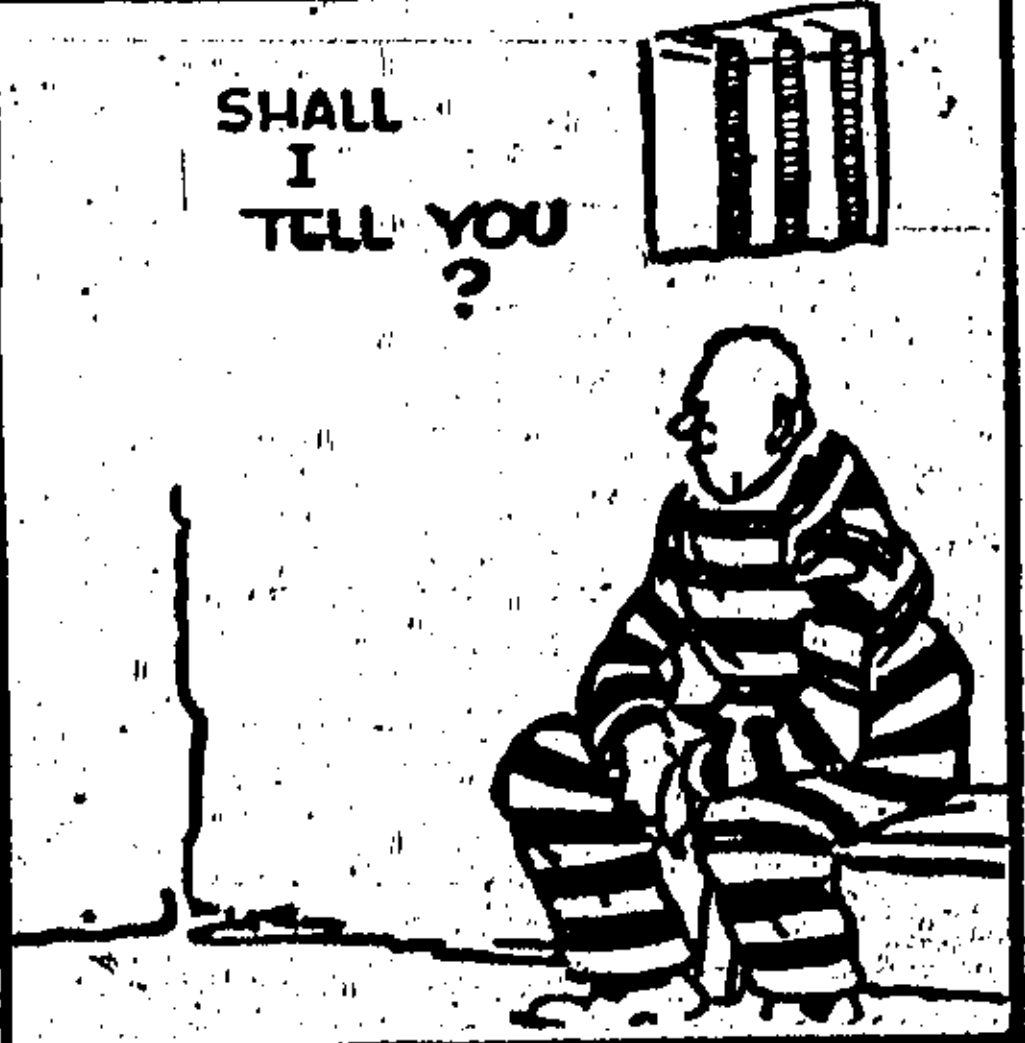
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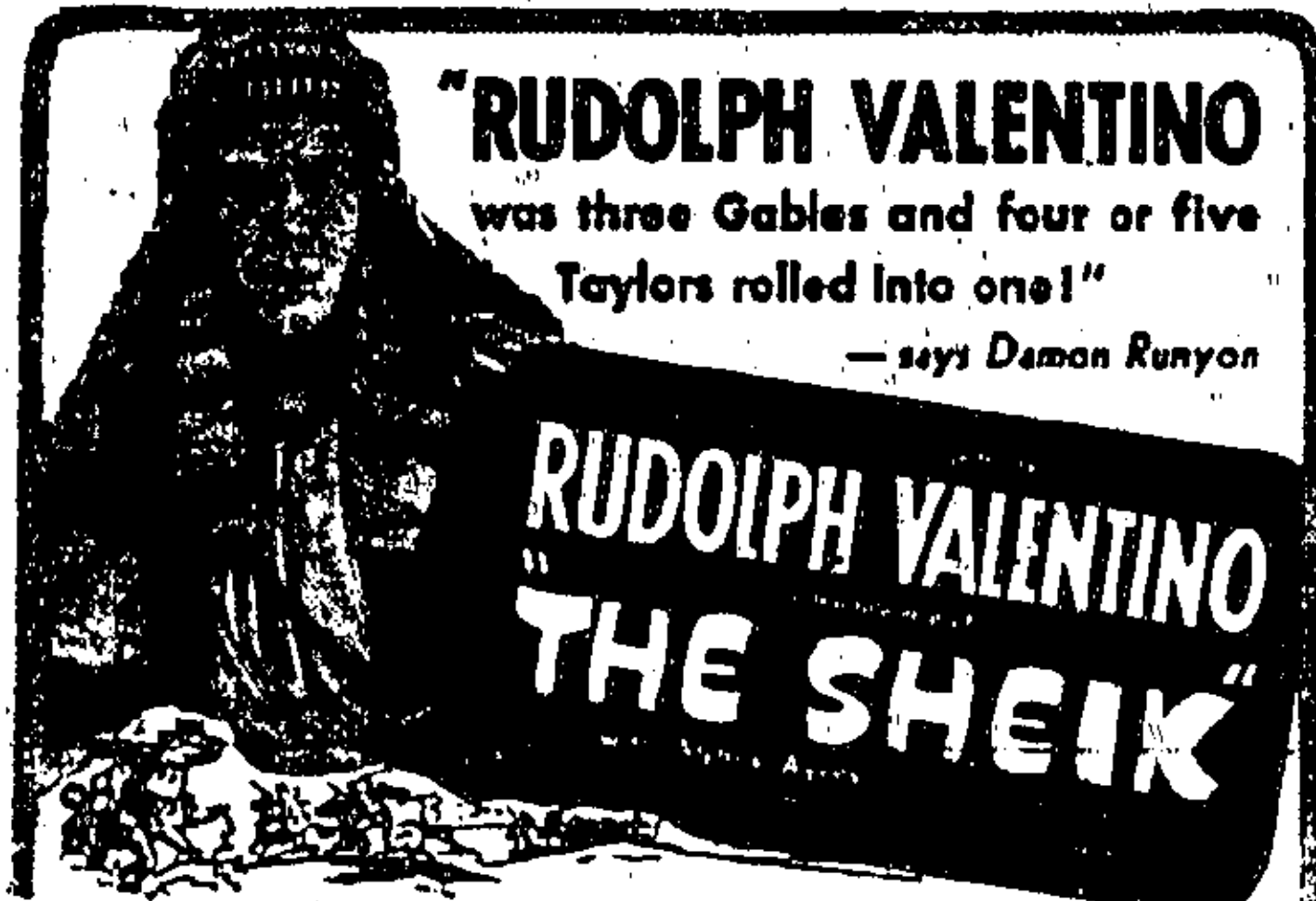


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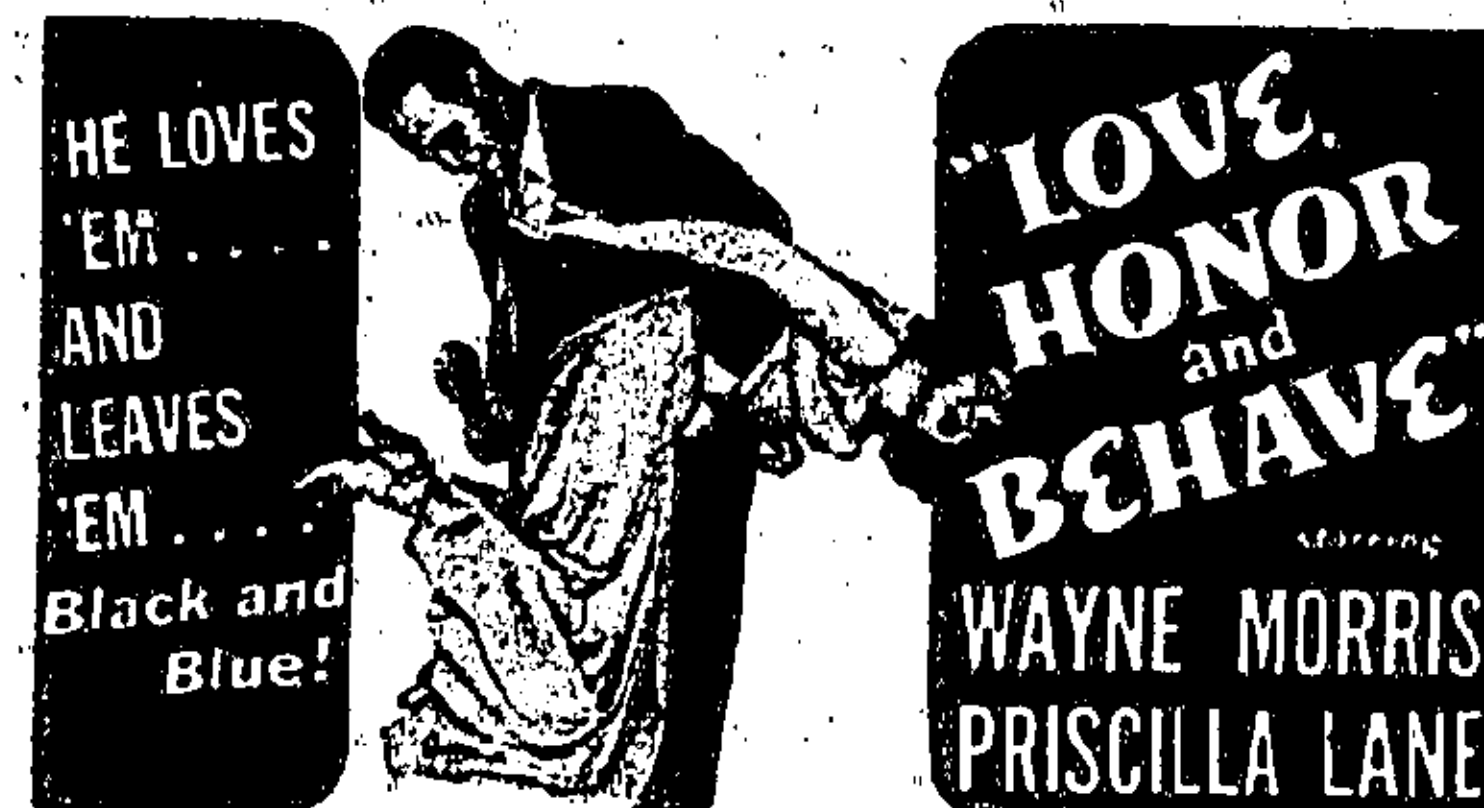
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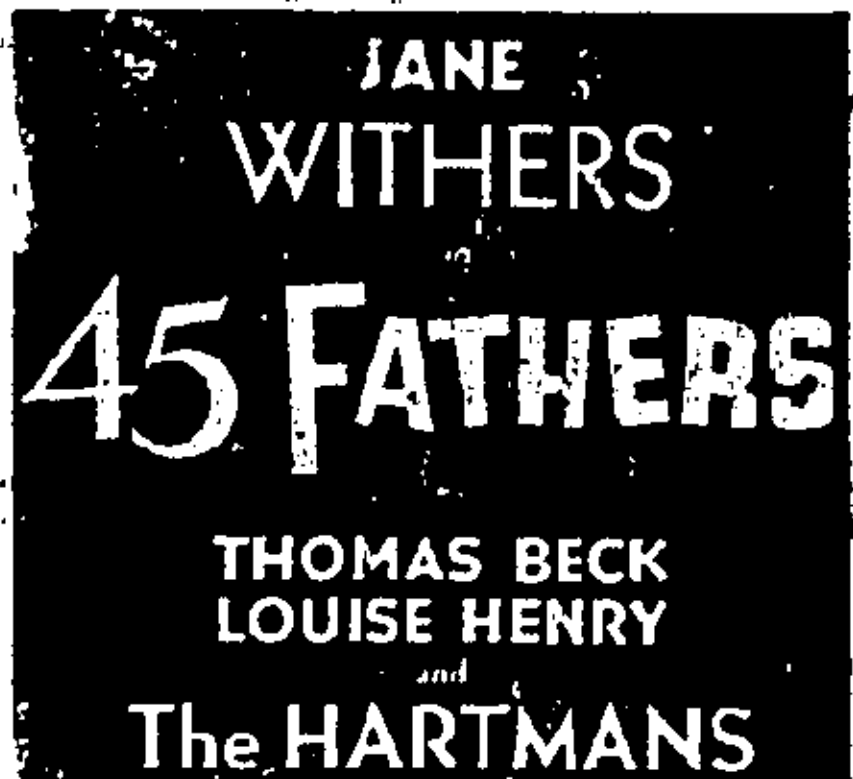
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## DIARY OF LOCAL ON THE AVENUE

### EVENTS

**TODAY**  
Anniversaries and Holidays—  
Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist;  
Ember Day; H. G. Wells born, 1866.  
Cinemas—(See Column 3 of this  
Page)  
Dances—Cheero Club Dance,  
8.30 p.m. Flannel Dance at Kow-  
loon Union Church Hall, 9 p.m.  
Lectures—First Aid, at Helena  
May, 5.30 p.m.  
Malls—(See Page 10).  
Meetings—House Committee, at  
S. and S. Home, 8.30 p.m.  
Miscellaneous—Sale of Child-  
ren's Work at 153 The Peak, by  
the Peak Branch of the M.C.L., 4  
p.m.; Loloma Kindergarten Classes  
reopen, 9 a.m.  
Moon—VII Int'l. Moon, 28th  
Day.  
Social—Weekly Whist Drive and  
Tombola, in Garrison Sergeants'  
Mess, Queen's Road, 9 p.m.  
Sports—(See Page 10).  
Sunrise—6.12 a.m. Sunset—6.21  
p.m.

The magic phrase, "Words and  
music by Irving Berlin," proved to  
be the deciding factor in inducing  
Dick Powell to star in the Twen-  
tieth Century-Fox production,  
"On the Avenue," now at the  
Majestic Theatre.  
When he heard that the Berlin  
melodies would play an important  
part in the new picture, his  
choice was practically made.  
Dick admitted frankly, He was  
all for doing the film before he  
even read the script or heard  
who was going to be in the cast  
with him.

Tides—High at 06.49 and 20.19  
Low at 00.25 and 13.45.  
TOMORROW  
Moon—VII Int'l. Moon, 29th  
Day.  
Sunrise—6.11 a.m. Sunset—6.23  
p.m.  
Tides—High at 05.36 and 19.45.  
Low at 13.05.

## Today's Screenings

### Hong Kong

KING'S:  
"Little Miss Roughneck"  
QUEEN'S:  
"The Sheik"  
ORIENTAL:  
"Love, Honour and Behave"

### Kowloon

ALHAMBRA:  
"San Quentin"  
STAR:  
"45 Fathers"  
MAJESTIC:  
"The Good Earth"

### Coming

KING'S:  
"Stand In"  
QUEEN'S:  
"She's No Lady"  
ORIENTAL:  
"Navy Blue and Gold"  
ALHAMBRA:  
"On Such A Night"  
STAR:  
"Lloyds Of London"  
"The Man Who Broke The  
Bank At Monte Carlo"  
MAJESTIC:  
"Escapade"

## NEW CHILD STAR

"Little Miss Roughneck," in the  
person of irresistible Edith Fellows,  
will provide the piece de resistance  
of this week's new pictures. It  
opens today at the King's Theatre.  
Edith is the slight, dark haired  
14-year-old dynamo who was the  
bane of Melvyn Douglas's  
existence in "She Married Her  
Boss" and who sent Bing Crosby  
scurrying into romance in "Pennies  
From Heaven." As a result of her  
defiant comic tramping in these films,  
she was rewarded with her first  
important featured role, that of  
the impossibly impertinent screen-  
struck child star, Foxine LaRue, in  
"Little Miss Roughneck."

## Disease May Be Cured By Nicotine

After a year of research,  
scientists have disclosed that  
nicotine may hold the secret  
of recovery for victims of pel-  
lagra, the dreaded disease  
known as Lombardy leprosy  
or Italian leprosy, which af-  
flicts thousands of agricul-  
tural workers in Southern  
Europe and America.  
Chemists have succeeded in pro-  
ducing a drug known as nico-  
tinic acid which is claimed to be  
of value in the treatment of pel-  
lagra.  
After the successful laboratory  
tests it was demonstrated to the  
medical profession for the first  
time at an exhibition at Ply-  
mouth recently for doctors from  
all over the world who attended  
the British Medical Association's  
conference.  
The new drug can be admi-  
nistered in tablet form, and  
is claimed to supply the vital  
deficiency in vitamin which  
is believed to be the cause of  
the disease in under-nourish-  
ed people.  
Pellagra which is colloquially  
known as rough-skin, was intro-  
duced into Italy and Spain about  
the middle of the eighteenth  
century.  
It was found to be widespread  
through Southern Europe, Portu-  
gal, South-West France, and the  
Austrian Tyrol, and has more re-  
cently been discovered in the  
British Isles and in various parts  
of Africa, India, United States, and  
South America.

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## NEW PLAY FOR MERLE OBERON

### Miss Elsa Maxwell To Write Scenario

Miss Elsa Maxwell, the  
American journalist and hos-  
tess, is to work for London  
film Productions.

Mr. Alexander Korda met her at  
a dinner she recently gave on the  
Riviera to the American Ambassa-  
dor, and was so impressed with her  
personality that he gave her a  
contract. She is now writing a  
story for Merle Oberon, and will  
play a part in it.

Miss Maxwell has written two  
books and a play, and was recently  
commissioned by a New York  
publisher to write the life of the  
Countess Haugwitz-Reventlow.

She is noted as a giver of lavish  
and often eccentric parties. At  
one reception at the Waldorf-  
Astoria she had hogs charging  
across the dance floor, called by  
Ohio's champion hog-caller, and  
she is said to have invented the  
"murder" party, the buffet supper  
party, and the go-as-you-fa-  
vourite-film-star party.

As a rebuke to late dinner  
guests she once sent around  
vehicles to pick them up in  
whatever state of dress they  
happened to be in at the  
moment.

She organised a party in Paris  
after the Armistice, went as Mr.  
Lloyd George and was mobbed in  
the streets. A guest came as  
Marat being murdered, and had  
to be hauled around the floor in a  
papiermache bath while a young  
woman dressed as Charlotte Cor-  
day poised a knife above his neck.

She has criticised the British  
aristocracy for want of courtesy in  
America, and made up a list of  
the 10 greatest gentlemen in the  
world in which only one English-  
man appeared—Sir Johnston  
Forbes-Robertson.

## STAR DUST

Jeg Buell is planning another all-  
midget film, to follow "The Terror  
of Tiny Town." The new one will be  
about lumber jacks.

M-G-M have bought Four Cents  
a Word, an unproduced play by  
the author of Three Men on a  
Horse.

Groucho Marx's illness has been  
holding up production on "Room  
Service" for the second time.

Liene Hervey and Janet Beecher  
have joined the cast of Say It in  
French, the new title for "Sou-  
brette," starring Olympe Bradna.

After completing his part in  
"King of Alcatraz," with Lloyd  
Nolan, Porter Hall is leaving  
Paramount for freelancing and  
stage work.

Irne Dunne's next picture will  
be Love Affairs, produced and  
directed by Leo McCarey for Radio.  
It is due to go into production in  
the middle of September.

## PRESENTATION

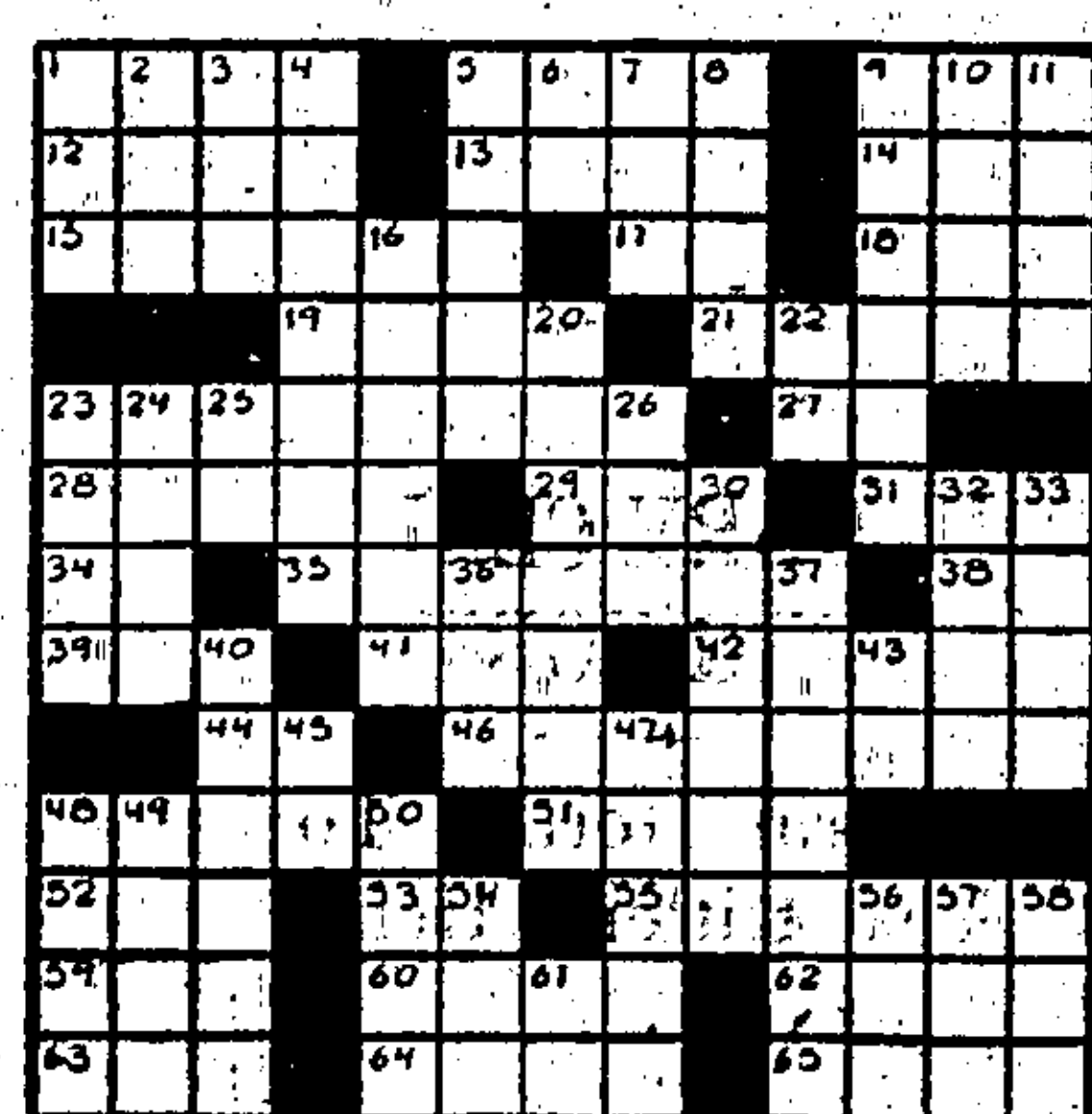


Shield presented to Sir Ro-  
bert and Lady Ho Tung by the  
New Territories Agricultural  
Association at a reception last  
week.

## CROSSWORD

### NO. 113

- ACROSS
- Designating the lowest tides
  - Trench around a rampart
  - Small flap
  - One of the Great Lakes
  - Pin on which a wheel revolves
  - Sooner than
  - Famous operatic star? Geraldine—
  - Note of the scale
  - Long, narrow inlet
  - What State of America was settled by the Latter Day Saints?
  - What is the scriptures of the Moham-medans?
  - What motion picture star recently por-trayed the title role in Rembrandt?
  - Therefore
  - What maiden is addressed in the famous Scottish love song?
  - Chop off
  - Rodent
  - Pronoun
  - Utensil for a fireplace
  - Possessive adjective
  - Tear
  - Turt
  - Fruit of a vine
  - River of Alberta
  - Resembling a simple type of intor-escence
  - Section of a wall
  - American University



- Free from something obnoxious
- Above
- In a blush-ing manner
- Kind of poem
- What Shake-spearian char-acter said he was "every-thing a king"?
- Mental image
- Through
- Wife of a lord
- Search for DOWN
- Clock in the form of a ship
- Period of time
- Ventilate
- Italian lake
- French Revolutionist
- Beast of burden
- Everything
- Tall timber tree
- Extreme fear
- Melody
- Seed of a leguminous plant
- In what city is the Acro-
- Day of recreation
- Bone
- Bed of wild beast
- Prefix against
- Prefix: not
- Correlative of neither
- The grape-fruit
- Hebrew prophet
- River in England
- Beetle
- Goddess of retribution
- Cogitate
- Behold!
- Have existence
- Bear
- Support
- Military assistant
- Become gradually calm
- Seed of a well-known vine
- Fresh water food fish
- American general
- Domesti-cated ox of Tibet
- Paid publicity

SOLUTION TOMORROW

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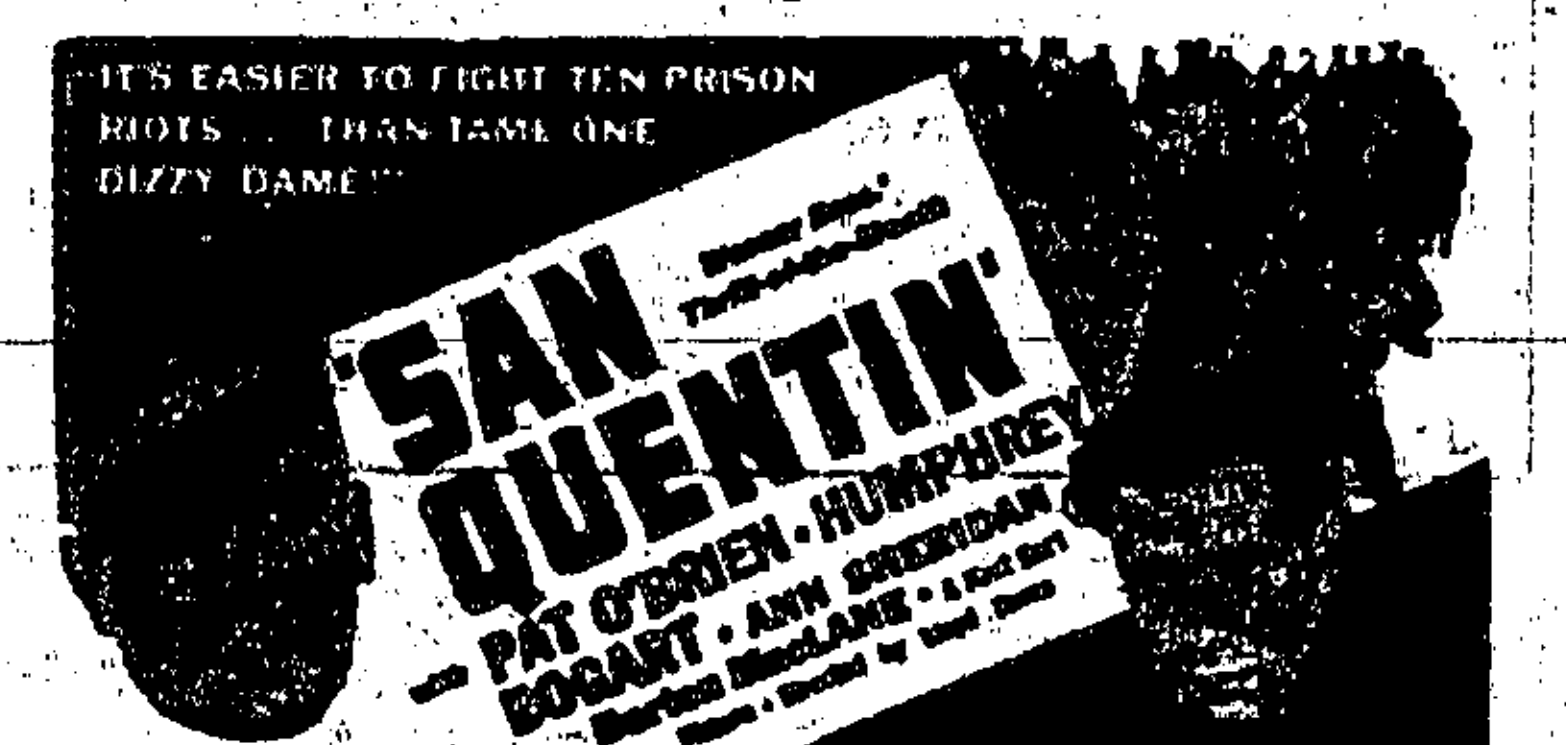
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TOMORROW  
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 SAPPORO (Hokkaido)  
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Car Traffic Bureau, Department of Railways, Tokyo

Prague, Sept. 20

It is authoritatively learned that the Czech Government has decided to accept the Anglo-French recommendations but has asked for a more concrete explanation so as to be able to give a detailed reply.

The Cabinet sat for over two hours last night, under the presidency of Dr. Benes, to frame a reply to the proposals. It will meet again to-day.—Reuter.

Paris, Sept. 20.  
It is reported that the Anglo-French proposals were not discussed in detail at yesterday's Cabinet meeting which only agreed that they should be sent to Prague.

The compromise arranged in London is regarded in authoritative circles here as the best arrangement which could be made under the circumstances, taking into account all the political and military factors involved.

It is felt that if the proposals require great Czech sacrifices they grant substantial guarantees at the same time for the new State.—Reuter.

**SOVIET SCEPTICAL**

Moscow. Sept. 20.  
In the absence of official reports the Soviet authorities have made no comment on the Anglo-French conference. Political circles believe, however, that the proposed terms will not be acceptable to Czechoslovakia and will increase the danger of war.

There is a general feeling of scepticism concerning the value of an international guarantee of the new boundary of Czechoslovakia proposed by Britain and France—Reuter

**LABOUR DENOUNCES  
NEW PROPOSAL**  
London, Sept. 20.  
The National Council of Labour has issued a statement that it is desirous of maintaining peace and views with dismay the "reported Anglo-French proposals for the dismemberment of Czechoslovakia under a brutal threat of armed force by Nazi Germany and without having first consulted the Czech Government."

It considers the act a "shameful betrayal of a peaceful and democratic people and forming a dangerous precedent for the future."

The Council has invited representatives of the French Labour Movements to a conference in London tomorrow or Thursday.—  
Reuter.

Budapest, Sept. 20.

The Hungarian Regent, Admiral Horthy, is visiting Herr Hitler at Berchtesgaden today. It is reported that he will ask for support from Hitler for Hungary's territorial claims on Czechoslovakia.

The Hungarian Prime Minister telegraphed yesterday to Signor Mussolini the Hungarian Government's full support of the demands of the Hungarian minority in Czechoslovakia for self-determination.—Reuter.

Washington, Sept. 20.

Any Sudeten territory handed over to Germany would be placed on the United States' economic "black list" as Austria was placed after the Anschluss, according to experts.

Germany is blacklisted because she does not give U.S. goods the benefit of the "most favoured nation" clause.

### AMBASSADOR TO REPORT

It is understood that Mr. Joseph Kennedy, the American Ambassador in London, is sending a full report to Washington of his conversations with the British Prime Minister in the past few days.

It is stated here that U.S. cooperation in finding a solution for the European problem is at present not requested and not contemplated by the United States.—Reuter.

**London, Sept. 20.**

Attention of political quarters here is now focussed on the question of how the joint Anglo-French proposals will be submitted to the Czech Government. Since Lord Runciman was summoned by Mr. Chamberlain after the session of the Cabinet yesterday, it is believed that he will play an important role in the matter.

While not denying the reports which have appeared in the papers regarding the probable outcome of the Anglo-French talks, authoritative quarters here point out that the reports which hitherto appeared are completely unauthorised since no concrete information has been so far released for publication.

Silence. These quarters declare will be maintained until the Premier has had a second conference with the Fuehrer. A detailed statement will then be issued.—Transocean.

Geneva, Sept. 20.

It is understood that the League Council has decided to comply with China's request for the application of Article 17 of the League Covenant, and will now approach Japan under the Article's provisions and suggest mediation in the dispute in China.

Japanese observers here expect that Japan will reply but will refuse the invitation.

If thereafter the League fails, as is expected, to "effect" automatic sanctions against Japan under Article 16 of the Covenant, this will be the first official repudiation of that Article.

Poison gas, are being used to slaughter the Chinese troops in an ever-increasing scale," Dr. Koo alleged.

"China has every reason to expect that the member States will keep faith with her, as she kept faith with them," declared Dr Koo. He urged the application of

Some Chinese circles in Geneva believe that one of the effects of Council's decision will be to induce the United States to apply the Neutrality Act against Japan.

Dr. Wellington Koo, the Chinese delegate, presented China's appeal yesterday in the clearest terms, Article 17 and that full effect be given immediately to the previous resolutions, particularly that there should be an embargo on essentials goods and that measures should be taken to prevent indiscriminate bombing and the use of poison gas.—Reuter.

London. Sept. 20

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Nine more Indian rulers have telegraphed to the Viceroy unsolicited placing their forces at the disposal of their King-Emperor in the event of war. Their offers have been replied to by a note of appreciation.—Reuter.

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# WOMEN'S PAGE



## Wed Countess— Then Back To The Office

A telephone call from the bride after the ceremony on September 8 broke the news to Lady Rosabelle Brand that her daughter, twenty-five-year-old Lady Warwick had been married at Maidenhead Register Office to Mr. W. M. L. Fiske, the wealthy American toboggan rider.

Mr. W. M. L. Fiske, who is twenty-seven, is the son of Mr. W.M.L. Fiske, a partner in the



The Countess of Warwick, City firm of Dillon, Read and Company, investment bankers.

Mr. Fiske travelled to his City office immediately after the ceremony and stayed there until the luncheon hour.

In the afternoon he went to Maidenhead for a small celebration party.

It is understood that he will shortly be transferring to the company's New York offices.

Meanwhile the honeymoon has been postponed until next month, when Mr. Fiske and his bride will sail for America.

The marriage to the Earl of Warwick, which took place in 1933, was dissolved last February. Lady Warwick is the daughter of Lady Rosabelle Brand and the late Lieutenant David Bingham, who was killed in action in 1914.

Before her marriage, she was one of Britain's most striking debutantes.

## WOMEN'S A.R.P. EXAMINATIONS

The Hong Kong Women's A. R. P. Union announces that examinations for the anti-gas short course will be held at the Peak Club on October 3 at 10 a.m. and at the Helena May Institute on October 4 at 5.30 p.m.

A First Aid examination will also be held at the Kowloon Y. M.C.A. on September 29 at 5.30 p.m.

Candidates are required to send their preference for a written or oral examination, to the Honorary Secretary, Mrs. A. Murdoch, No. 192 The Peak.

It is further notified that the First Aid lectures at St. John's Cathedral Hall on Fridays will commence at 10.30 a.m. instead of 11 a.m.

## YOUNG ARTIST- ACTRESS DOES IMPORTANT JOB

The Royal Naval College at Greenwich is to be embellished by a new series of coats-of-arms. They are the arms of famous admirals, and will occupy a corridor which has hitherto been bare of decoration.

They have been executed by a young woman, Miss Bridget Workman.

Miss Workman is a former actress who took to painting just over three years ago. She had no previous knowledge of heraldry when she received the commission from the Royal Navy College, and, in order, to ensure the accuracy of the coats-of-arms, was obliged to conduct extensive researches on her own, in the British Museum and the National Maritime Museum. They have all now been passed by the College of Herald.

## WEDNESDAY'S MENU

### BREAKFAST

Fresh Chilled Pineapple  
Cooked Cereal  
Bacon and Tomato Omelette  
Thin Toast  
Jam  
Coffee

### LUNCHEON

Barley Soup  
Stuffed Baked Peppers  
Fresh Fruit Salad  
Cheese  
Crackers  
Tea

### DINNER

Lobster Cocktail  
Combination (Cooked) Vegetable  
Salad  
French Dressing  
Spaghetti Bolognese  
with  
Meat Sauce (onions, tomato, pepper etc.)  
French Bread and Butter  
Pound Cake with Lemon Sauce  
Coffee

## GREAT SEASON FOR VELVET

It's going to be a great season for velvet, and this lovely soft, supple fabric will play an especially important part in the evening fashion story during the coming months of autumn and winter, writes a Home correspondent.

It will be used chiefly for the strapless evening frocks.

Could you imagine anything lovelier than gleaming white neck and shoulders rising above dark velvet? enthused one designer.

Well, it depends, of course, upon the quality of the neck and shoulders; but velvet is certainly a flattering fabric.

It gives an ethereal look to the fairness of the blonde and it also makes a good background for the rich, creamy colouring of the fair-skinned brunette.

**Lovely Colours**

Black velvet may be your favourite—it is with most of us; but this season there's to be a decided vogue for velvet in rich dark colours—ruby, emerald green, topaz and other jewel shades; also raspberry, wine reds, purple and violet.

**Fine and Supple**

All the best velvets are of an exquisite suppleness, soft and fine as crepe de chine. They drape beautifully and are crease-resisting.

And they are being made up into frocks for girls in their teens as well as for young and not-so-young matrons and dowagers.

One of the favourite shades is a deep purple violet, a very regal colour, yet soft and becoming.

In velvet it takes on a particularly rich tone. I doubt whether you could get the same effect in silk.

**Flawless Cut**

Needless to say, a velvet evening frock must be of simple design and flawless cut—the grandest models flare to great width at the hem; but there are slimly draped evening gowns, too.

A favourite cut for strapless gowns is a slim-fitting, figure-moulding Princess line, to below the hips whence the skirt flows into deep fullness, very simple and young looking.

The perfect fit is achieved by clever seaming at the bodice and each seam is boned from just below the waist to just above it while elastic runs along the top.

It is not a style for the amateur dress-maker to attempt, though the finished effect is one of extreme simplicity.

But then, all really clever frocks look simple, as we all know.

**Invisible Straps**

Other off-the-shoulder evening frocks have invisible shoulder straps of fleshpink chiffon.

All the smartest evening frocks have the off-the-shoulder line. I am speaking, of course, about frocks for really formal occasions.

Many velvet dinner frocks are cut with square necklines and long, close-fitting sleeves. Some have schoolgirl collars and cuffs in metal lace and a zip fastener running down the centre front from neck to hem.

## LEADING COMMONS LADY



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## WOOL WILL RULE IN NEW FASHIONS

Wool is to take a leading place in women's fashions this autumn. The range will include sportswear, delicate evening dresses, vivid jackets and dressy town suits in wool; undies in wool; even belts and hats in wool.

The latest wool fashions were demonstrated at a London fashion sketch arranged by the International Wool Secretariat.

Most attractive were the new nonsensical wool whimsies, which are worn on the hair with the modern wool cinema dresses and evening dresses.

The royal visit to Paris has definitely inspired autumn designs. Plaids are introduced for all occasions, even for evening frocks, and they are most suitable for the smooth and supple fabrics which have been produced.

### 'Queen's Blue'

A remarkable tribute to the popularity of the King and Queen during their visit to Paris is reflected in autumn fashion colours.

The new colours are described in such terms as "George VI Red," "Queen's Blue" and "Guards' Red." Amazing new weaves of wool are introduced, so that it varies from a fur-like quality to the texture of silk or velvet.

Among the new wool creations are the Highland Swing—a Highland coat of black wool, with wide revers and flap pockets piped with plaid to match the Glengarry.

## FIRST AID COURSE

First Aid lectures in English for the general public (men and women) and all those taking the A.R.P. course will be held at St. John Ambulance Headquarters commencing on Tuesday next at 8 p.m.

The lecturer will be Dr. H. el Arcyll. St. John Ambulance Brigade Officers will act as demonstrators.

### Smart Details

If you are going in for a velvet evening frock be up to date with your details.

Last autumn velvet gowns were matched up with gloves in the same fabric—this autumn it's newer to have them in fine lace net, very long—almost reaching to the shoulders—and edged with one or two very feminine-looking little frills. But you can have them without frills if you prefer it.

Evening sandals should be of velvet to match the frock, though silver or gold ones can be worn.

### Like Grannie

And here's a favourite Victorian fashion which is coming back again.

If you don't want to wear your best pearl or diamond necklace tie a velvet ribbon band round your throat just as grannie did. It's very becoming and youthful and new, as all old fashions are when they are revived after a sufficiently long period of oblivion.

You could also set a generous choux or bow of the same ribbon on the curls of your "uplift" coiffure, though, maybe, one of gossamer tulle would look younger and lighter.

But it all depends on your type and that is a matter you must decide for yourself.

## Newsettes

Mr. Hsu Hao, Director of the Chinese Government Film Censorship Bureau, is at present in the Colony. He is seeking the collaboration of film producers here in an effort to prevent the making of films derogatory to public taste and hopes that future productions will be more in keeping with the new trend in China.

Mr. Y. M. Chien, alias Chien Hsin-chih, has been appointed Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Bank of Communications in the place of the late Mr. Hu Pi-chiang who perished in the Japanese attack on the C. N. A. C. plane Kwellin. Mr. Chien, a native of Chekiang, studied in Japan and has been Vice-Minister of Finance and Ambassador to France.

Mr. W. H. Lock, local manager of Messrs. Butterfield & Swire, is due to return to Hongkong to-day after a visit to Shanghai. During his absence, Mr. David W. K. Au has been in charge.

Mr. H. T. Tsu, sub-manager of the Shanghai Commercial & Savings Bank, Hongkong branch, is soon to leave for Kunming on a business trip.

Mr. S. F. Balfour, District Officer (South) was a passenger on board the Imperial Airways plane Delta, which left for Bangkok yesterday. Mr. Balfour is proceeding by air to Athens. Mr. J. A. Paanwe and Mr. Lim Tat Tean left for Bangkok by the same plane.

## FORTHCOMING WEDDINGS

The following forthcoming weddings are announced:—

Nicholas Tolentino Delgado, Cantonese Manager of N.A.A.F.I. and residing at 160-162, Belchers Street, third floor; Kennedy Town to Miss Bellinda Maria Carlota Fernandes, of 40, Fort Street, North Point;

Wong Chor-ying, teacher of 510, Prince Edward Road, third floor, Kowloon City, to Miss Fan Sanchun, residing at 19, Cheung On Street, first floor, Kowloon City;

Fung Chan-yin, book-keeper, of the Sino-British Engineering Corporation and residing at 12 Tat Wo Street, second floor, to Miss Lai Wei-hing, residing at 165, Hennessy Road, second floor.

## RESTAURANTS COLLECT \$50,000

Money collected by the Hongkong and Kowloon restaurants on the anniversary of the September 18 Incident amounted to no less than \$50,000. This will soon be forwarded to the Central Government through the Bank of China.

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Princess Alice, Countess of Athlone, added to the general gaiety by calling advice to her husband, the Earl of Athlone, who was endeavouring to "guide" his sister's erratic route.

Lord Provost Sir John Stewart, who conducted Queen Mary round the pavilion, found the royal visitor greatly interested in the Scottish words which sprinkle his conversation.

"Feely-wally" received her special approval. "It is so expressive" she laughed. "I had not heard it before."

Queen Mary also stepped into the model of the latest type of Corporation tram, having heard from Mr. P. J. Dolan that it is the "Rolls Royce" of trams; costing £2500.

The gaiety and vital interest which characterised Her Majesty's tour of this pavilion were apparent throughout the day.

Queen Mary was a lovely figure in her ensemble and plumed toque of silvery dove-grey.

Two magnificent brooches of square-cut emeralds were pinned to her dress, and great diamonds sparkled in her ears.

Women close to her noticed that she had chosen a fine woollen material for her dress and long coat, which was collared with pale grey minkabout.

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Any objections to the proposed change of name must be sent to the Registrar of Shipping at Hong Kong within seven days from the appearance of this advertisement.

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L. C. F. BELLAMY, General Manager.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that Zakhar George Velichinsky of No. 14, Village Road, first floor, Wongneichong in the Colony of Hong Kong, is applying to the Governor for naturalization, and that any person who knows any reason why naturalization should not be granted should send a written and signed statement of the facts to the Colonial Secretary, Hong Kong.

WILKINSON & GRIST, Solicitors for the Applicant.

1805

PUBLIC AUCTION.

PARTICULARS AND CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 26th day of September, 1938, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Ma Tau Chung, in the Colony of Hong Kong for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 75 years.

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant) will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the purchase price.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT

No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in Acres	Annual Rent	Upset Price
12	4088	Kowloon Inland Lot No. 4088, Tsim Kung Road, Ma Tau Chung.	ft. ft. ft. ft.	As per sale plan.	About 42,010	775
						37,502

1806

PUBLIC AUCTION.

PARTICULARS AND CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 26th day of September, 1938, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Boundary Street, in the Colony of Hong Kong for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 24 years less the last three days thereof.

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant) will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the purchase price.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT

No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in Acres	Annual Rent	Upset Price
3	883	New Kowloon Inland Lot No. 883, Boundary Street.	ft. ft. ft. ft.	As per sale plan.	About 3,680	68
						16,170

1799

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

PUBLIC AUCTION

PARTICULARS AND CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 26th day of Sept., 1938, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Mount Cameron, in the Colony of Hong Kong for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 75 years.

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the purchaser (if not the applicant) will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the purchase price.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT

No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in Acres	Annual Rent	Upset Price
4	413	Rural Building, Lot No. 413, Middle Gap Road, Mount Cameron.	ft. ft. ft. ft.	As per sale plan.	About 8,000	92
						1602

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By Order of the Board of Directors,  
B. C. FIELD,  
Acting Secretary.  
Hong Kong, 17th Sept., 1938.

H.M.S. SUFFOLK DUE TO-DAY

H.M.S. Suffolk, the announcement of the sudden departure of which from Shanghai on Saturday caused some surprise in that port, is due to arrive in Hongkong this morning.

H.M.S. Falkmouth and H.M.S. Decoy are also scheduled to reach here this morning.

H.M.S. Dainty has left for Swatow on a routine trip, while H.M.S. Kent is out of the harbour on manoeuvres. The Cumberland and the Dorsetshire are in dock.

AMBULANCE CORPS NEEDS TRANSPORT SECTION

A Transport Section (European and Chinese) is needed for the Auxiliary Unit of St. John Ambulance Brigade. Applicants are requested to send in names, with details of experience, to the Honorary Secretary, St. John Ambulance Brigade, St. John Headquarters, Tai Hang Road.

Part members of the Brigade are requested to enrol in the Reserve Section of the Brigade.

1801

BIRTH  
EMMERICH.—On September 15, 1938, at the Country Hospital, Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. W. Emmerich, a daughter.

DEATH  
PANOFF.—On September 14, 1938, at 51 West End Gardens, Shanghai, Mrs. E. W. Panoff, aged 60 years.

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HONGKONG'S NEW WATER TAX

THAT A GENUINE COMPLAINT exists against the imposition of the new water tax in the Colony is clearly evident from the vigorous speeches of opposition made by the unofficial Chinese members at the meeting of the Legislative Council on Thursday last.

As usual, however, irrespective of the feelings of the unofficial members and no matter how powerful their speeches may be, whatever they may say in opposition to what apparently is a fixed policy of the Government is ruled out by the overwhelming number of official members, who have the final say in the matter.

The water tax is to be imposed, and twenty per cent. of the turnover is to be used as a military contribution, whether the people like it or not, in the usual totalitarian way our Colonies are administered. The people are not given a chance and any voice of protest which they may raise is absolutely futile.

Changes in the administration of the Colonial Office at Home are far too slow and complaints are not infrequent and already there is a clamour for its modernization. To return to the water tax. While the people are not given a chance and while protests are useless, Fate is not too kind with the law-makers. It is all very well to dun the public for water at 25 cents a thousand gallons but there is not an unlimited supply in the reservoirs and the authorities have already become nervous over the possibility of a shortage. Owing to the poor rainfall this year, it is very likely that, by next May, there will be a real shortage.

Restrictions naturally have had to be imposed and, unless something unforeseen occurs, further economies in the use of water will have to be imposed.

WITH THE SHORTAGE OF THE WATER SUPPLY, one is astonished that few, if any, steps are being taken to cope with the almost criminal carelessness that is going on in many parts of Hong Kong by letting water run to waste. Tap leakages are most frequent in many cases, taps are left open. The consequent result is that many gallons of precious water go to waste. Unless penalties, and heavy ones at that, are imposed, it is difficult to see how this waste can be avoided.

In this connexion, we would appeal to emigrants from the interior and from north China to do their utmost to co-operate with the authorities. Hongkong is not the fortunate possessor of abundant reservoirs such as are to be found in Shanghai and Nanking and in some other places. Hence it is absolutely necessary to conserve the local supply as much as possible. If our guests will look into this matter and give their co-operation to the Government here, they will only be doing a duty expected of them.

The Government may desire, with every good intention, to aid the poor by imposing the water tax, but there is no guarantee that the middle and poorer classes, those of the white collar class, whose expenses are limited and who must keep up appearances, will not be victimized by unscrupulous landlords, who will find in the increase an excuse to push up rents.

Restaurants and hotels likewise will probably follow suit by raising their charges, all of which will have a serious effect on the people who, instead of being benefited, will find themselves especially hard hit.

THE QUESTIONS NOW ARE, "Are the authorities going to raise the cost of water in the face of vigorous public opposition or are they prepared to stand a loss in the event of further drastic restrictions being imposed?"

One cannot help thinking that, with the very satisfactory state of the Colony's revenue at the present time, the proposed water tax revenue is totally unnecessary and there surely must be means other than this to raise funds for the military contribution to which reference has been made. Possibly it may be the prelude to further taxation, possibly a brand of Inland Revenue Tax may be attempted, but, be this as it may, it will be imposing an unnecessary burden on an already overburdened populace.

CANTON EN FETE ON SEPTEMBER 18 AND SIAN AGAIN!

BY JACK CHEN

CHINA TO-DAY—SERIES III

September 18 used to be a "day of national humiliation," but to-night Canton is en fete. More than 150,000 people demonstrate in a five-mile-long column through the streets lined with crowds of watchers, cheering, singing, clapping, as the acrobats of the Chinese Boxing Association pyramid and jump, as the thunder of drums and shrill flutes beat time for gaily-coloured dragons that wag their heads... golden paper scales flashing in the light of thousands of bamboo torches. This carnival is also a political demonstration of tremendous significance.

CANTON DEMONSTRATION—THE LIGHTER SIDE

By Jack Chen



MAINTENANCE HEARING

Allowance Granted By Magistrate

WIFE'S EVIDENCE

A separate maintenance allowance of \$7 a week was granted by Mr. MacLennan at the Kowloon Court yesterday to Mrs. Maria Andreewna Saery-Syrk, of 9, Knutsford Terrace, first floor; this money to be paid her by her husband, Peter Julius Syrk, from whom she is now legally separated. The address of Peter Julius Syrk, who is now in Saigon, was given as 34, Hankow Road.

The only witnesses called were a police officer, who had served the summons on defendant, and Mrs. Syrk.

Mrs. Syrk, in evidence, stated that she married Syrk in March, 1930, at the Consulate of the U. S. S. R. in Harbin. Both were and still are citizens of the U. S. S. R.

Her husband came to Hongkong in 1932, she following him here some eight months later, in 1933.

Towards the end of 1936 she began to have differences with her husband. These led to quarrels and to separation in February, 1937. Syrk left to live in his office, telling her to find lodgings for herself.

At the Kowloon Court, in Chambers, he promised to pay her a monthly allowance of \$25. She had not demanded more, having obtained employment at the Knigs Institute at a monthly salary of \$100.

ALLOWANCE STOPPED

In June this year, Syrk stopped paying this allowance. He claimed that he had no more money and that whatever money he had, he needed for the education of his son by a former marriage.

At the Kowloon Court, Syrk was advised by Mr. Barnett, in Chambers, that his duties to his wife should come before his duties to his son. He had promised to continue payments to his wife as soon as improvement in his business would permit him.

Meanwhile, she learned that he sold his business for \$1,000. She lost her position in June, 1937, and was living on her savings, and on money earned in private work as a qualified nurse. Syrk had not in any way contributed to her support since June 1 this year.

He only sent her a comprador's order for passage money to Shanghai where she did not wish to go.

TEN DOLLARS FOR A CUP OF OVALTINE

For three days last week, Messrs. A. Wander Ltd. of London, the makers of Ovaltine, donated a large supply to be used in September at the Chung Sing Bathing Club for charity.

The cups of hot Ovaltine were used as an inducement to donors, and many paid \$5 and \$10 per cup. The proceedings on Friday night were enlivened by the presence of Mr. Barnes, the representative of Ovaltine throughout India and the Far East, who proved to be a great drawing card as an extempore auctioneer. The three nights' demonstrations were instrumental in raising over \$200 for charity.

This is the Canton where, some years back, exploiter and exploited stood on opposite sides of the barricades of revolution. To-night ricksha coolies walk with ricksha owners. Squads of officials, stevedores, orphans, bank clerks, farmers, machine workers, newspaper editors, writers and newsmen march together. "Gold beaters, wood-carvers, pancake makers and pig butchers carry lanterns and slogans. Then follow rank after rank of volunteers, partisan brigades of Kwangtung peasants armed with rifles, Peoples' Militia, boy's brigades, Propaganda Corps, and 40,000 organized women. The light of a torch—I see Madame Sun Yat Sen and the Mother of the Guerrillas, Mrs. Chao.

The last time I saw Canton, it was being bombed three times a day. I saw scenes of horror the equal of any I saw at the front. And people asked pessimistically: "What next?"

Here was the answer: The swift growth of democratic defence organizations.

No such demonstration took place in all the preceding months of war. This parade follows close on the heels of the great one in support of the League of Nations. Among the marchers and the crowds was a spirit of elation, for Canton to-day stands among the leading centres of national democratic unity. Kwangtung is rapidly building up a volunteer movement that will give the Japanese lots to think about if they invade the province. And it was the fact of a real and bloody participation in the war that hastened this development.

"DEFEND SOUTH CHINA" No fewer than 101 delegations took part in the demonstration, each carrying its illuminated sign. Many were organized by the Government and the Kuomintang. Many were People's organizations that distributed leaflets telling of their work and calling on the crowds to "Fight Back to Our Lost Lands! Defend South China! Defend Wuhan! Give utmost support to the Government and our Leader Chiang Kai-shek!"

Canton is one of hundreds of cities that have learnt that there is no rear in this war, and that every man, woman and child must be prepared for the enemy's attack. Canton had a terrible lesson, but it learnt well.

The city which in my eyes presented the greatest contrast to Canton in this respect is, strangely enough, Sian.

At a time when a new crisis approaches in the defence of Wuhan and still greater efforts are needed, it is natural that the weaker and meaner spirits are catalyzed at the opposite pole—when happens to be Sian. I spent eleven days there, enough to discover that near a dozen peoples' organizations had been closed; educational, cultural, youth, and the invariable excuse was that they were not "recognized" by the local government, i.e., were not run directly by the local officials.

The local government was encumbered by many thoroughly inefficient executives who were unable to supply the necessary drive to run mass organizations and were unwilling that impetus be supplied by the people themselves. Thus, the spirit of Sian languished. Besides pure inefficiency, there

were naturally political elements of doubtful character who sought to "capitalize on the situation by spreading tales that 'unity between the Kuomintang and the Communists is temporary.' A notorious Japanese agent and provocateur was reliably reported to be active in the city.

DEARTH OF CULTURAL LIFE In this atmosphere there was an absolute dearth of cultural life, apart from third-rate American movies and old-style drama. Certainly I did not get the feeling that Sian was doing all it could to help win the war. The streets were clean; there was a fine bath house (the biggest in China) where one could spend hours washing; there was a fine Guest House and decorative ladies, but this did not improve the situation.

Sian naturally attracts attention. Overburdened with work though he is, Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek showed his concern for the United Front in Sian by suspending a vituperative anti-unity magazine. Encouraged, the progressives go on with their work patiently. They seem anxious that news of Sian's troubles should not get abroad as this may "hurt the nation." They hope to "educate" the backward officials. They have complete faith in the Central Government.

Canton-Wuhan-Yunnan are to-day the basic cities of the country. The centre and the wings are strong. "Total democratic defence" is the slogan in vogue.

The main enemy thrust is on Wuhan, and the whole country is rallying to its defence. Peoples' defence is strongly organized in the North, and Canton is advancing rapidly. So Sian, by the pressure of events, will fall into line. Its backwardness in this respect is an extreme case, but one must take into consideration the hugeness of the task facing the Government. As observations from all over the country show, this includes the training of thousands of people for organizational work in the vast countryside and cities; organization of military units and training; organization of cultural, educational and social activities for the millions; organization of new industrial enterprises and co-operatives; mobilization of finance, etc., and in many places—such as Sian—before this work can be advanced, old corrupt officials and entrenched inefficients must be reformed or removed. This is no easy task. Unity has to be maintained. And yet many years growth of self-interest have entwined themselves in some departments and administrations like a parasitic vine.

A swift new forward movement, however, is evident. For it is in great struggles such as the defence of Wuhan that the lessons of unity are brought home sharply to all.

GAS MASKS FOR CAIRO

Cairo, Sept. 20. The Egyptian Government has ordered 2,000,000 gas masks for distribution to the city's population.—Reuter.



# FLOOD RENDERS OVER MILLION PEOPLE HOMELESS

## Yellow River Inundates Fifteen Districts

### Over \$50,000,000 Damage

Chengchow, September 20. Nearly 1,250,000 people have been rendered homeless and destitute by the Yellow River flood which has inundated 15 districts, with an aggregate area of 23,279 square li, and caused damage to property amounting to \$53,244,000, according to reliable figures.

The 1,227,000 refugees are from the following districts: Chengchow, 85,000; Chungmow, 98,300; Yushih, 159,000; Kaifeng, 80,000; Tungku, 90,000; Fukow, 200,000; Yenling, 37,000; Sihwa, 117,000; Luyi, 80,000; Taikang, 65,000; Tswaiyang, unknown; Chenliu, 34,000; Shenku, 90,000; Chihshen, 90,000; and Kwangwu, 2,000.

The affected districts together with their respective inundated areas are as follows:

Chengchow, 1,440 square li; Chungmow and Yushih, 2,650 square li; Kaifeng, 2,100 square li; Yenling, 350 square li; Sihwa, 2,713 square li; Luyi, 1,560 square li; Taikang, 1,200 square li; Hwaiyang, 4,800 square li; Chenliu, 350 square li; Shenku, 1,650 square li; Chihshen, 90 square li; and Kwangwu, 208 square li.

The property damage of \$53,244,000 is distributed as follows: Chengchow, \$4,250,000; Chung-

mow, \$4,925,000; Yushih, \$7,930,000; Kaifeng, \$3,750,000; Tungku, \$4,430,000; Fukow, \$9,600,000; Yenling, \$1,015,000; Sihwa, \$6,350,000; Luyi, \$4,000,000; Taikang, \$3,250,000; Chenliu, \$191,000; Shenku, \$3,180,000; and Chihshen, \$373,000.

It is learned that altogether \$70,000 has been distributed among the refugees. This sum includes \$300,000 from the National Relief Commission, \$50,000 from the Honan Provincial Relief Commission, and \$20,000 from Madame Chiang for the district of Sihwa.—Central News.

## ROTARY TIFFIN

(Continued from Page 1)

were responsible for the organization of the Safety Zone in Nanking during the hostilities.

Mr. Smythe informed those present that amidst the gathering was the Chairman of the Nanking Relief Committee in the person of Mr. J. M. Hansen.

### FALL OF NANKING

For the first six weeks after the fall of Nanking, said Mr. Smythe, nobody was allowed to leave the city, nor were they permitted to send out any uncensored letters.

Some foreigners left Nanking, when the six weeks had lapsed, including the Chairman of the Committee who was "ordered" to proceed to Germany by the firm he was connected with. On his arrival in Germany he was imprisoned for two days for "relating his experiences in Nanking."

Some books had been published, said the speaker, by Europeans who had experienced during the fall of Nanking, and these books could now be procured. There really was nothing for him to say, concluded the speaker, for "various reasons," one of them being that Rotary International did not believe in discussing controversial topics.

### REFUGEES CARED FOR

The International Relief Committee was still functioning in Nanking and thousands of refugees were being cared for, although no more fighting is going on. The recovery of Nanking was very, very slow and the Committee could not publish anything that was going on.

Mr. Smythe concluded by saying that he was bound for Chengtu.

### SPEAKER INTRODUCED

Introducing the speaker of the day, Dr. Li said that Dr. Grey was a representative of the Euro-St. John Red Cross and New Zealand Red Cross Societies, and had just returned from the North where he rendered valuable services to the wounded and refugees.

Dr. Grey in a brief address said that at present, in Central China, there were two Red Cross Societies. These two were those which he represented. At the end of last year the people of New Zealand were hearing reports about Nanking and Shanghai and decided to contribute money to relieve the sufferings in China. As a result, a joint council was formed combining the St. John and New Zealand Red Cross Societies.

### PROMPT RESPONSE

An appeal was issued and the reply was very prompt and encouraging. On the call for volunteers, the speaker responded and left New Zealand on January 11. He arrived in Hongkong and saw Mr. Alfred Morris, of the St. John Ambulance Brigade.

After a few days in Hongkong, Dr. Grey accompanied by Mr. Beddow, proceeded to Canton where they interviewed the medical authorities there. The speaker proceeded to Hankow together with Dr. Maxwell, the Secretary of the International Red Cross Society. On arrival in Hankow, the speaker met Dr. McClure who was in charge of the work in Honan province.

### JAPANESE BOMBING

Dr. Grey mentioned that the International Red Cross Society of Central China worked in affiliation

## ADMIRAL SEIZO KOBAYASHI

### Formosa Governor Returns To Tokyo

Shanghai, Sept. 20.

Admiral Seizo Kobayashi, Governor of Formosa, has returned to Tokyo to make a report of the conditions on the island. Chinese here reported that the anti-war sentiment is prevalent among the Formosans, many of whom were drafted into the army and navy.

It is reported that Admiral Kobayashi, who served under the late Admiral Togo in the Russo Japanese war, mapped out several plans for the invasion of South China, but owing to the policy of General Ugaki, Foreign Minister, the plans have been temporarily shelved.—International.

with the Mission Hospitals. Dr. McClure took the speaker to Changchow, where, upon arrival, they saw the results of Japanese bombing.

Dr. Grey stayed in Changchow for three months and worked with the Italian Red Cross Society. Many wounded soldiers were admitted from surrounding military hospitals and the North, and were in need of immediate treatment. Another surgeon had, in the meantime, arrived in Hongkong appointed by the New Zealand Red Cross Society, on March 7.

### CHANGCHOW BOMBED

Dr. Grey said that while he was in Changchow he assisted the League of Nations Red Cross Society for a short period, after which he left for Ichang.

In May he again went to Changchow shortly after the town had been very severely bombed, as a result of which the hospital there had to be transferred to the outskirts of the town where they had to carry on their work.

On June 9, word was received that the Japanese were about fifteen miles from the town, so the hospital had to move back to town. A Canadian missionary rendered a tremendous amount of work in the hospital.

### DYKES BREACHED

Continuing, the speaker said that fortunately the dykes of the Yellow River were in time destroyed and the Japanese were unable to reach Changchow.

As the amount of wounded soldiers became less, the work was concerned more or less with the flood refugees. The Magistrate of the town asked him (Dr. Grey) if he could do anything to relieve the sufferings of the flood victims, as a result of which the speaker proceeded to Hankow in order to raise funds.

Refugee camps were opened on July 5, and from this date to August 23, something in the region of 13,000 people had been cared for in the Camp. Work among the flood refugees was at times disheartening, said Dr. Grey, as they could not spend their time on individual cases, and it was not possible to admit many as should have been admitted. Those in immediate need were attended to chiefly.

### FIRST CHOLERA CASE

On July 17, the first case of cholera was admitted to the hospi-

## INDIAN MEDICAL MISSION



GROUP PICTURE taken during a visit of the members of the Indian Medical Mission to the Sun Yat Sen Medical College on September 17.

## Institute Of Commerce Examination Results

### SUCCESSES REGISTERED BY WAH TAK SCHOOL STUDENTS

The Local Examination Committee of the Institute of Commerce, England, have received news of the successes of the students of the Wah Tak School of Commerce, Kowloon, at the examination held in July, 1938.

Following are the results:—

#### THE INSTITUTE OF COMMERCE, BIRMINGHAM

Daniel Yau Boon Lap—(First Class) Typewriting, Arithmetic, English, Correspondence.

Law Shung Yan—(First Class) Typewriting, Correspondence. (Second Class) English.

Ho Tak Wing—(First Class) Typewriting, Arithmetic, English, Shorthand, Correspondence. (Second Class) Business Knowledge.

Cheng Yuh Wah—(First Class) Typewriting, Arithmetic, English, Shorthand, Book-keeping, Correspondence, Business Knowledge.

Chan Kit Sun—(First Class) Typewriting, Arithmetic, English, Book-keeping, Correspondence, Shorthand, Business Knowledge, Geography.

Kwok Hon Kee—(First Class) Typewriting, Arithmetic, English, Geography, Correspondence, Business Knowledge. (Second Class) Book-keeping, Shorthand.

Lam Hoy—(First Class) Typewriting, Arithmetic, English, Shorthand, Book-keeping, Correspondence, Business Knowledge, Geography.

Ho Kwai Sum—(First Class) Typewriting, English, Shorthand, Book-keeping, Correspondence, Business Knowledge.

William Ling Chun Wah—(First Class) English, Typewriting, Arithmetic, Book-keeping, Correspondence.

Lee J. Hok—(First Class) Typewriting, English, Book-keeping, Correspondence. (Second Class) Arithmetic.

Woo Shing Chung—(First Class) Typewriting, Arithmetic, English, Book-keeping, Correspondence, Shorthand, Business Knowledge, Geography.

Ng Shew Man—(First Class) Typewriting, Book-keeping, Cor-

respondence, Shorthand, Business Knowledge, Geography. (Second Class) Arithmetic, English.

Yuen Kam E—(First Class) Typewriting, Arithmetic. (Second Class) English, Book-keeping, Correspondence.

Lam Po Wah—(First Class) Typewriting, Shorthand, Business Knowledge, Geography. (Second Class) Correspondence.

Lai Chi Keung—(First Class) Typewriting, Book-keeping, Correspondence.

Cheung Kwong Wah—(First Class) Typewriting, English, Arithmetic, Correspondence. (Second Class) Book-keeping.

Tong Hung Kwan—(First Class) Typewriting, Correspondence, Shorthand.

Chong Kai Sum—(First Class) Typewriting, Arithmetic, English, Shorthand, Book-keeping, Correspondence, Business Knowledge.

Hung Ping Yan—(First Class) Arithmetic, Correspondence, Geography. (Second Class) Typewriting, English, Book-keeping, Shorthand, Business Knowledge.

Pun Yau Eol—(First Class) Arithmetic, English, Book-keeping, Correspondence. (Second Class) Typewriting.

Stanley Ng Kwok Keung—(First Class) Arithmetic, English, Book-keeping, Correspondence. (Second Class) Typewriting.

Ip Yat Chow—(First Class) Correspondence, Shorthand, Geography. (Second Class) Typewriting.

George Lee—(First Class) Arithmetic, English, Shorthand, Business Knowledge, Geography. (Second Class) Typewriting, Book-keeping, Correspondence.

Lee Chun Man—(First Class) Typewriting.

Lee Ping Wah—(First Class) English. (Second Class) Typewriting, Shorthand.

Kan Yu Bun—(First Class) Correspondence, Shorthand. (Second Class) Typewriting.

Andrew Yung Chun Pong—(First Class) Arithmetic, English. (Second Class) Typewriting, Book-keeping, Correspondence.

Lam Kwok Yiu—(First Class) Arithmetic, English, Book-keeping, Correspondence, Shorthand, Business Knowledge. (Second Class) Typewriting.

Wong Hon Ping—(Second Class) Typewriting, English, Book-keeping, Correspondence.

Tang Kam Hing—(First Class) Book-keeping. (Second Class) Typewriting.

Wong Hei Man—(First Class) English, Book-keeping, Correspondence, Shorthand, Business Knowledge, Geography.

Leung Ping Kwan—(Second Class) Arithmetic, Book-keeping.

Lai Kim Fung—(First Class) Arithmetic.

Wong Kai Yiu—(Second Class) English.

Ng Hon Kwong—(First Class) Arithmetic, Book-keeping.

Leung Yu Kuen—(First Class) Shorthand, English, Correspondence, Book-keeping, Business Knowledge.

Wong Wal Kwong—(First Class) Book-keeping, Arithmetic.

Wong Chin Kwai—(First Class) Arithmetic, Book-keeping.

## Swedish Ship Boarded By Japanese

That while on a trip from Japan to Hongkong his ship was stopped and boarded by officers of a Japanese destroyer was revealed by Captain E.A. Brandt, captain of the Swedish East Asiatic Line's new passenger freighter, Ningpo, on arrival here yesterday.

According to Captain Brandt, the destroyer first tried to overtake his ship but, failing in this, they fired a shot across her bows, stopped her, boarded her, and subjected the captain to a series of questions.

When they were satisfied with the nationality and the nature of the cargo carried by the Ningpo, they left. Before doing so they asked Captain Brandt what report he would make to the naval authorities in Hongkong.

## CHIUTAH SALT COMPANY

### New Factory In Szechuen

The Chiutah Salt Company, which was first established in Tangku in 1915, is erecting a new up-to-date factory in Szechuen Province, which will be completed in about four months.

During the period of the Tangku Truce, the Company, in order to escape the restrictions imposed by the Japanese, started another factory in the Tapi salt area.

The original factory was seized after the Lukouchiao incident, and the second was destroyed by Japanese bombing.

## TRAIN CRASH KILLS SEVEN

### Forty Injured In U.S. Tragedy

Los Angeles, Sept. 20. Seven persons were killed and at least 40 injured, when two Southern Pacific crack passenger trains collided at Tortuga, California.

The driver and fireman are known to be among the dead and it is feared that the death-roll may be higher.—Reuter.

### SWITCHED IN ERROR

Los Angeles, Sept. 20. The collision was between the train from Los Angeles to Chicago and the other from New Orleans to Los Angeles and occurred when the latter stopped at a siding into which the first was switched in error. They met head-on and the engines and several coaches overturned.—Reuter.

## MINOR INCIDENTS DISTURB PEIPING

Hankow, Sept. 20. Several minor incidents disturbed the Peiping's peace on the occasion of the seventh anniversary of the Mukden Incident on Sunday, according to a report from the ancient capital.

A pistol shot was heard near the residence of the former manager of the bogus Federal Reserve Bank, but no casualties were reported.

At Hsichihmen gate, a pedestrian was arrested by the police for possessing a revolver. He shot himself.

While the police were conducting searches at Tienkiao, several shots were fired by an unidentified person in the crowd.—Central News.

## ALLEGED GRATUITY DEMAND

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Revived by the constable, the two proceeded to the United Delivery Co. There the delivery-boy telephoned to his firm's accountant, Lo Chak-yun.

First reports of the incident contained no complaint against Dalip Singh of his demanding a gratuity.

Mr. R. H. E. Marks, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Kowloon, ordered further investigation into the incident. It was during this investigation that a complaint was registered on the gratuity charge. The hearing was adjourned to tomorrow at noon.

## KOWLOON CANTON RAILWAY TIME TABLE

N.B.—For timings of Shuttle Service between Taipo Market and Fanning, please refer timetables exhibited at stations.

UP TRAINS											
STATIONS	Local	Down	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local
	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.
Kowloon Dep.	6.30	8.25	9.10	9.55	11.10	11.15	11.20	11.25	11.30	11.35	11.40
Fanning Dep.	6.35	8.30	9.15	10.00	11.15	11.20	11.25	11.30	11.35	11.40	11.45
Shatin Dep.	6.40	8.35	9.20	10.05	11.20	11.25	11.30	11.35	11.40	11.45	11.50
Taipo Dep.	6.45	8.40	9.25	10.10	11.25	11.30	11.35	11.40	11.45	11.50	11.55
Taipo Market	6.50	8.45	9.30	10.15	11.30	11.35	11.40	11.45	11.50	11.55	12.00
Fanning Dep.	7.00	8.55	9.40	10.25	11.40	11.45	11.50	11.55	12.00	12.05	12.10
Shatin Dep.	7.05	9.00	9.45	10.30	11.45	11.50	11.55	12.00	12.05	12.10	12.15
Shumchun Arr.	7.10	9.05	9.50	10.35	11.50	11.55	12.00	12.05	12.10	12.15	12.20
Canton Arr.	7.15	9.10	9.55	10.40	11.55	12.00	12.05	12.10	12.15	12.20	12.25

DOWN TRAINS											
STATIONS	Local	Down	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local
	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.
Canton Dep.	6.30	8.25	9.10	9.55	11.10	11.15	11.20	11.25	11.30	11.35	11.40
Shumchun Dep.	6.35	8.30	9.15	10.00	11.15	11.20	11.25	11.30	11.35	11.40	11.45
Shatin Dep.	6.40	8.35	9.20	10.05	11.20	11.25	11.30	11.35	11.40	11.45	11.50
Taipo Dep.	6.45	8.40	9.25	10.10	11.25	11.30	11.35	11.40	11.45	11.50	11.55
Taipo Market	6.50	8.45	9.30	10.15	11.30	11.35	11.40	11.45	11.50	11.55	12.00
Fanning Dep.	7.00	8.55	9.40	10.25	11.40	11.45	11.50	11.55	12.00	12.05	12.10
Shatin Dep.	7.05	9.00	9.45	10.30	11.45	11.50	11.55	12.00	12.05	12.10	12.15
Shumchun Arr.	7.10	9.05	9.50	10.35	11.50	11.55	12.00	12.05	12.10	12.15	12.20
Kowloon Arr.	7.15	9.10	9.55	10.40	11.55	12.00	12.05	12.10	12.15	12.20	12.25

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## DR. R.B. JACKSON BOMBING OF CIVILIANS

(Continued from Page 1)

Since you came to this Colony some eight years ago as its malariaologist, after ten years of good service in the Medical Department of the Federated Malay States Government, there has been a steady reduction locally of the incidence of malaria, a disease which brings many disastrous ailments in its train; for this the community owes to you a great debt of gratitude.

Malariaological work, however, is for the most part, done out of sight and its effects are gradual and negative in nature although the benefits which it brings are most positive; for those reasons your patient and devoted labours are, perhaps, less well-known than they deserve, and the success with which they have met is too little recognised.

The appreciation of your good services which His Majesty has shown by this appointment is, therefore, the more welcome and I am happy in having the privilege of investing you with these insignia of office.

### LABOUR LEADER'S LETTER TO MR. CHAMBERLAIN

London, Sept. 20.

Mr. Clement R. Attlee, Leader of the Labour Opposition, in a letter to Mr. Chamberlain, stated: "It is reported that the proposals submitted to Czechoslovakia complete the dismemberment of the sovereignty of Czechoslovakia at the dictation of the ruler of Germany and involve this country in giving guarantee on future continental frontiers."

"I feel that before Britain is committed to this grave departure of the declared British policy Parliament be consulted without further delay."—Reuter.

### Declared Illegal In Resolution

Geneva, Sept. 20. Captain Euan Wallace, Financial Secretary to the Treasury, on behalf of Britain, recommended that the League Assembly adopt a resolution declaring:—

firstly, that bombing of civilian populations was illegal; secondly, targets aimed at from the air must be legitimate objectives capable of identification; thirdly, that any attack on a legitimate objective must be made in such a manner that the civilian population in the neighbourhood will not be bombed through carelessness.

Captain Wallace said that humanitarian customs and its usages in war on land and sea, which has grown into an international law, has taken time to develop. The problem was to extend to aerial warfare the same humanitarian considerations.

Proposals for an embargo on the supply of planes and oil to Japan and the sending of a neutral commission to China for a general conference on aerial and gas warfare were made by the Chinese delegate.—Reuter.

Hongkong Chinese pharmacists will hold patriotic sale at East Bonham Road to-day and tomorrow and the money collected will be handed over to the Women's Comforting War Relief Association to be forwarded to the Central Government. Collection boxes will be opened in the presence of the public under the auspices of the Comforting Association.

## BRITISH WOMAN LEADER GUEST AT RECEPTION

Mrs. Charlotte Haldane, wife of Professor J.B.S. Haldane of London University, left for Canton yesterday by the s.s. Fatshan to



## LATE ARRANGEMENTS IN CRICKET INTERPORT

### "New L.B.W." Fears We May Be Sending Skeleton Side Up To Play Shanghai

BY "NEW L.B.W."

THE FACT THAT arrangements for the cricket Interport with Shanghai have, after all, been left till rather late was brought home to local enthusiasts on Saturday when the trial match which was to have taken place at the Indian Recreation Club was washed out.

It may be suggested that any criticism of the local authorities on this ground would be unnecessarily carping, as it was not till early last week that it was established as a certainty there would be an interport this year.

To that there is, I think, an obvious answer. If our rulers of cricket were as keen as they might be, they could have arranged at least two trials before the definite invitation came from Shanghai. Not that I might have been, I feel confident, that support would not have been wanting.

## ADVERTISEMENTS.

### MACAO JOCKEY CLUB.

#### REMINDER.

October Race Meeting, 2/10/38.

Owners are reminded that Entries for the above Meeting close on Thursday, 22nd September, 1938.

By order,

S. W. CHENG.

Secretary

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### THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

#### NOTICE.

The China Auction Rooms, (Mr. E.V.M.R. Sousa-Auctioneer), will sell by Auction at the Paddock, the Race Course, Happy Valley, at 5.15 p.m. on Monday, 26th September, the following 1939 Australian subscription pony—

No. 21. Ches. gelding—5 years—14 hands 2 inches.

Sire: "Corban."

The purchaser of the above, if a Member of The Hong Kong Jockey Club, will be entitled to race the pony at the 1939 Annual Race Meeting as an Australian subscription pony.

By Order,

C. B. BROWN,

Secretary.

Hong Kong, 19th Sept., 1938.

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### THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE SEVENTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (weather permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on SATURDAY, 24th September, 1938, commencing at 2.00 p.m.

The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

#### MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE

No One without a badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure; such must be worn throughout the duration of each meeting in such a manner as to be readily identified.

Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5.00 for Gentlemen and \$3.00 for Ladies (Both including tax) are obtainable through the SECRETARY upon the personal or written application of a Member; such Member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him, and for Payment of All Chits, &c.

The Secretary's Office, 1st Floor, Exchange Building (Tel. 27794) will close at 12 NOON.

Tickets are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered in advance from the No. 1 Box. Telephone 21920.

#### PUBLIC ENCLOSURE

The price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is \$1.00 including Tax, for all Persons, including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate. Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform are admitted Half Price.

By Order,

C. B. BROWN,

Secretary.

Hong Kong, 19th Sept., 1938.

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## FOOTBALL SEASON IS HERE



Football match in progress between Eastern and The Rest on the Club ground on Saturday (Photo, A.C.P.).

### ARMY CHILDREN AT AQUATICS

#### Heats For Annual Meeting

THE HEATS FOR THE Garrison Schools annual aquatic sports were held in the U.S.R.C. swimming pool yesterday afternoon, by kind permission of the Committee and resulted as follows:—

Boys' 50 Yards (Under 11):—Heat 1: 1. J. Rodgers; 2. H. Howleson. Time 48 4-5 secs. Heat 2: 1. W. Sissons; 2. I. Bradley. Time 45 2-5 secs. Heat 3: 1. O. P. Harvey; 2. B. Shepherd. Time 40 2-5 secs.

Boys' 100 Yards (Over 11):—Heat 1: 1. D. Bland; 2. R. Maton; 3. T. McConnell. Time 77 3-5 secs. Heat 2: 1. P. Cook; 2. J. Rodgers; 3. C. Snee. Time 88 2-5 secs.

Boys' High Diving:—P. Cook, R. Maton, D. Bland and J. Rodgers qualify for the final.

Girls' High Diving:—Miss A. Green, Miss J. Maton, Miss S. Barron and Miss V. Greenaway qualify for the final.

Boys' and Girls' Back-stroke:—Heat 1: 1. D. Bland; 2. P. Cook. Heat 2: 1. G. Hudson; 2. P. Edwards. Heat 3: 1. R. Maton; 2. J. Maton.

Boys' 25 Yards (Under 9):—Heat 1: 1. P. Shepherd; 2. M. Green; 3. M. Wenn. Time 28 8-10 secs. Heat 2: 1. A. McCormac; 2. J. Rayner; 3. Geoff Hudson. Time 25 secs.

Boys' 25 Yards (Over 9):—Heat 1: 1. T. McConnell; 2. P. Green; 3. S. Stacey. Heat 2: 1. H. Howleson; 2. P. Söner; 3. J. McCormac.

Girls' 25 Yards (Over 9):—Heat 1: 1. Miss J. Close; 2. Miss T. Wedlock; 3. Miss M. McConnell. Heat 2: 1. Miss P. Soper; 2. Miss J. Chesterman; 3. Miss A. Peden.

Long Plunge:—A. Green, C. Hudson, D. Ottaway and D. Bowerman qualify for the final.

The finals will be held on Friday, September 23, at the U.S.R.C. Pool commencing at 3 p.m. following which the prizes will be distributed by Mrs. A. W. Bartholomew, wife of His Excellency the General Officer Commanding the Troops, Major-General A. W. Bartholomew.

### "HAT TRICK" BY DAWSON

#### Hockey Match Won By Y.M.C.A.

A "hat trick" by Dawson feature the hockey match at King's Park yesterday, won by the Y.M.C.A. by three goals to nil, against the Royal Engineers who fielded only ten men.

Dawson scored once in the first half, twice in the second.

The teams: Y.M.C.A.—Smith, Richard, Ferguson, Randolph, McLellan, Brock, Jenkins, Smith, Colledge, Dawson, Bartlett.

Royal Engineers:—Craigie, Saxby, Brinkley, Bridle, Thornewell, Bradman, Fishlock, Goodwin, Kelly, Taylor.

#### WIN FOR ODIN

In a hockey game at the Arm-ground, Chatham Road, yesterday, H.M.S. Odin defeated the 40th Company, Royal Artillery, by two goals to one.

### Sporting Fixtures

BADMINTON.—Y.M.C.A. Ladies' Badminton, in the West Lounge, in the morning.

BOWLS.—His Excellency the Governor's team v. Civil Service C.C., 4 p.m. Colony Singles Semi-final, B. W. Bradbury v. A. R. Dallas (Club de Recreio), 4.30 p.m.

FOOTBALL.—Army League, 9th A.A. Batty R.A. v. 40th Coy. R.E., 3.15 p.m.; Military Happy Valley, St. Joseph's v. 24th Bty. Bty. (Happy Valley), 5.15 p.m.

TENNIS.—Hardcourt Doubles Semi-final, E. C. Fincher and A. V. Remedios v. Tsui Wai-pui and Tsui Yun-pui, 4 p.m.

more important. But three or four, at least, of the names I have mentioned are doubtful starters.

## ROYAL SCOTS SHOULD HAVE SUCCESSFUL SEASON

### Last Season's Stalwarts All Available

The following are the League football fixtures, for 1938, of the Royal Scots Regiment. They are a very much improved side this year, having now had almost a full season to settle down and much is expected of them.

Last year's stalwarts are all available and their progress in the League will be followed with the keenest interest:—

24.9.38—3rd Div.: Stanley.  
25.9.38—1st Div.: S. China "A".  
2nd Div.: 5th A.A. Bde.  
1.10.38—1st Div.: Kowloon; 2nd Div.: Kowloon.  
2.10.38—3rd Div.: 5th Bde. R.A.  
8.10.38—3rd Div.: Klt Che.  
9.10.38—1st Div.: Kwong Wah; 2nd Div.: Kwong Wah.  
15.10.38—1st Div.: Eastern; 2nd Div.: R.A.O.C.  
16.10.38—3rd Div.: B. Es. (C.).  
22.10.38—1st and 2nd Div.: Police.  
23.10.38—3rd Div.: Electric.  
29.10.38—1st and 2nd Div.: Club; 3rd Div.: 30th R.A.  
5.11.38—1st and 2nd Div.: St. Joseph's; 3rd Div.: P.W.D.  
12.11.38—1st and 2nd Div.: Mid-diesex.

13.11.38—3rd Div.: S. China.  
19.11.38—1st Div.: S. China "B".  
2nd Div.: Engineers.  
20.11.38—3rd Div.: R.A.S.C.  
26.11.38—3rd Div.: Stanley.  
27.11.38—2nd Div.: S. China.  
4.12.38—1st Div.: Navy; 2nd Div.: Eastern; 3rd Div.: 5th R.A.  
11.12.38—3rd Div.: Klt Che.  
17.12.38—1st Div.: S. China "A".  
2nd Div.: 5th A.A.R.A.  
18.12.38—3rd Div.: R.E.s. (C).  
24.12.38—1st and 2nd Div.: Kowloon.  
31.12.38—3rd Div.: Electric.  
7.1.39—3rd Div.: 30th R.A.  
8.1.39—1st and 2nd Div.: Kwong Wah.

9.1.39—3rd Div.: S. China.  
11.1.39—1st and 2nd Div.: Police; 3rd R.A.S.C.  
12.39—1st and 2nd Div.: Club.  
8.2.39—1st and 2nd Div.: St. Joseph's.  
2.2.39—1st and 2nd Div.: Middlesex.  
3.3.39—2nd Div.: Engineers.  
11.3.39—2nd Div.: S. China.  
12.3.39—1st Div.: S. China "B".  
8.3.39—1st and 2nd Div.: Eastern.  
25.3.39—1st Div.: Navy.

### CHARITY SOCCER

#### To-day's Match

OWING TO INCLEMENT weather last Saturday morning the match between the Middlesex and the C. A. A. F. had to be postponed. It will take place to-day, at 5.15 p.m., on the Caroline Hill Ground.

The following have been chosen to play for the H.K.C.A.A.F.—Pau Ka Ping (S.C.), Li Tin Sang (S.C.), Mak Shiu Hon (S.C.), Sung Ling Sing (Eastern), Lau Hing Chai (S.C.), Leung Wing Chiu (S.C.), Tso Kwai Shing (S.C.), Fung King Cheung (S.C.), Lee Wai Tong (S.C.), Lai Shiu Wing (S.C.) and Hau Ching To (Eastern).

Reserves: Tam Kwan Kon, Yeung Shui Yick, Lam Tau Man and Li Kwok Wal.

## FOOTBALL ASSN. RULES

### Proposed Changes

AN EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL Meeting of the Hongkong Football Association will be held in the Board Room of the "South China Morning Post," Monday, October, 1938, at 5.30 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of considering, and if thought fit, approving, with or without modification, the following proposed alterations to the Rules of the Association.

(a) Rule 14 sub-clause (c) by inserting a comma immediately after the word "Club" in the first line thereof; by deleting the word "and" in the second line thereof; and by adding the words "and the honorary secretary of the Hongkong Chinese Amateur Athletic Federation" immediately after the word "Committee" in the third line thereof.

(b) Rule 16. By adding the words "and shall have power from time to time to co-opt such person or persons as may be deemed necessary for the purpose of carrying out any of their duties" immediately after the word "necessary" in the third line thereof.

## HOME FOOTBALL RESULTS

London, Sept. 20.

Matches in the English Football League played yesterday resulted as follows:—

FIRST DIVISION  
Blackpool 4 Brentford 1

SECOND DIVISION  
Blackburn 3 West Ham 1  
Bradford 3 Tranmere 0

—Reuter.

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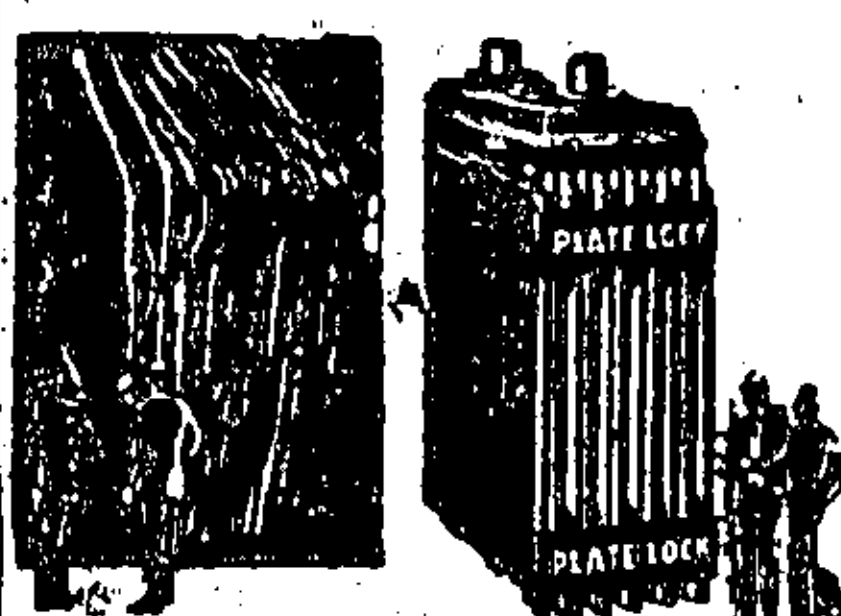
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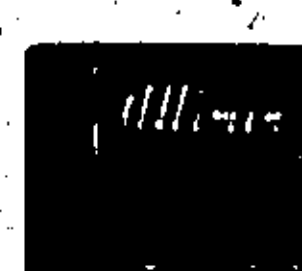
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TUESDAY, SEPT. 20.				TUESDAY, SEPT. 20.			
Buyers	Sellers	Share	Nominal	Buyers	Sellers	Share	Nominal
<b>Banks</b>							
145.87	98.55	30	Industrial	131.81	135.24	133.49	134.10
32.77	19.00	30	Rails	24.01	25.03	24.85	24.75
22.55	15.14	30	Utilities	17.84	18.12	17.71	17.98
92.70	83.39	40	Bonds	86.42	86.38	86.38	86.38
59.00	45.03	11	Commodity Index	unquoted	47.40	unquoted	47.40
Business Done:—330,000 shares.							
<b>STOCKS</b>							
Adams Express	10	10	10	Great Western Sugar	261	27	27
Alleghany Steel Co.	18	18	18	Grayhound Corp.	141	141	141
Allis Chalmers	45	45	45	Hecker Products	61	71	71
Amer. Can.	942	951	951	Int. Nickel	451	471	471
Amer. & For. Power	34	34	34	Int. Tel. & Tel.	7	7	7
Amer. & For. 77 pt.	141	141	141	Kennecott Copper	391	401	401
Amer. Locomotive	151	161	161	Libbey-Owens-Ford	451	471	471
Amer. Metals	30	31	31	Glass	121	121	121
Amer. Radiator	131	141	141	Lockheed Aircraft	45	45	45
Amer. Rolling Mill	151	151	151	Loew's Inc.	181	191	191
Amer. Smelting	421	45	45	Martin, Glen L.	181	191	191
Amer. Sugar Ref.	20	21	21	McKesson & Rob.	311	311	311
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	1351	138	138	Montgomery Ward	93	94	94
Amer. Tobacco	801	81	81	Nat. Dairy Products	121	121	121
Amer. Waterworks	311	321	321	Nat. Distillers	211	22	22
Anaconda Copper	291	301	301	Nat. Power & Light	51	61	61
Atchafalpa, T. & S. Fe.	31	4	4	Nat. Supply Corp.	131	14	14
Auburn Motors	61	61	61	New York Central	141	151	151
Baltimore & Ohio	161	171	171	N. America Aviation	181	181	181
Barber & Co.	141	151	151	North America Co.	161	161	161
Barnsdall Oil	541	551	551	Northern Pacific	61	61	61
Bethlehem Steel	201	211	211	Pacific Gas & Elec.	251	251	251
Boeing Airplane Co.	291	311	311	Pacific Lighting	36	36	36
Borg-Warner	291	311	311	Packard Motors	4	4	4
Briggs Manufacturing	71	81	81	Paramount Pictures	9	9	9
Brooklyn-Manhattan	251	26	26	Pennsylvania R.R.	161	171	171
Brooklyn-Manhattan	251	26	26	Phillips Petroleum	351	361	361
Canadian Pacific	80	83	83	Public Service of N.J.	261	27	27
Case, J.I.	26	26	26	Pure Oil	81	91	91
Chesapeake & Ohio	671	681	681	Radio Corp. of Am.	151	161	161
Chrysler Corp.	51	51	51	Republic Steel	401	401	401
Columbia Gas & El.	68	68	68	Reynold Tobacco	141	151	151
Columbia 8% "A" pt.	44	44	44	Schenley	69	69	69
Commercial Credit	1	1	1	Schenley, 54% pld.	161	161	161
Commonwealth & S.	351	36	36	Sears Roebuck	141	141	141
Consolidated Edison	231	241	241	Shell Union Oil	121	121	121
Consolidated Oil	381	391	391	Soco-Vacuum Oil	131	141	141
Continental Can	271	281	281	Southern Pacific	131	141	141
Continental Oil	641	641	641	Southern Ry. 5% pld.	141	141	141
Corn Products	41	41	41	Standard Brands	81	7	7
Curtiss Wright (C.)	161	191	191	Standard Gas & Elec.	21	3	3
Curtiss Wright "A"	161	191	191	Standard Oil of N.J.	501	511	511
Distillers Corp. Sea-	131	14	14	Stone & Webster	71	81	81
Douglas Aircraft	401	421	421	Swift International	171	19	19
Du Pont	1271	130	130	Technicolor	341	341	341
Eagle-Picher Lead	91	101	101	Texas Gulf Sulphur	21	231	231
Elec. Bond & Share	61	61	61	20th Cent. Fox	311	311	311
Elec. Bond & Share	45	42	42	do. 51 1/2 pt.	311	311	311
Elec. Bond & Share	481	481	481	Union Carbide &	77	79	79
Elec. Power & Light	24	29	29	Carbon	79	81	81
Flintkote	201	22	22	Union Pacific	24	24	24
Gen. America Trans	431	431	431	United Aircraft	21	21	21
Gen. Electric	371	381	381	United Airlines Trans	71	71	71
Gen. Motors	421	44	44	United Corp.	21	21	21
Gen. Railway Signal	181	171	171	United Corp. 3	27	27	27
Glidden Co.	18	19	19	United Gas Corp.	31	31	31
Goodrich (B.F.)	19	204	204	Un. Gas Improv't	9	9	9
Goodrich 5% pt.	49	504	504	U.S. Rubber pt.	40	41	41
Goodyear Tire & Co.	241	251	251	U.S. Steel	771	804	804
Great Northern Iron	111	12	12	U.S. Rubber	531	55	55
Gre	111	12	12	Vanadium	151	171	171
Great Northern Ry.	151	171	171	Warner Bros. Pict.	54	54	54
				Westinghouse Elec.	951	99	99
				Woodward Iron Cor.	16	161	161
				Chase National Bk.	271	281	281
				National City Bank	211	221	221
				Call Money	1%	1%	1%

## THE EXCHANGE MARKET

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Silver prices were lower yesterday to the extent of 5/16 for Ready and 1/4 for Forward, the quotations being 19 1/4 and 19 1/16 respectively. Silver advices reported very poor support. There was some general selling. Bears covered to a small extent. The market was steady. Later American trade bought at 1/16 over the quoted rate. Sellers were scarce. American Silver was quoted at 42 3/4 for Spot.

The London /New York cross-rate was quoted at 480.31. New York /London was quoted at 480.5/8.

## MARKET

Indications pointed to steadiness at the opening with speculators selling U.S. Dollars due to the easier European situation. The closing tendency at 1 p.m. was quite steady.

## STERLING

Was indicated at 1/3 sellers for September /October at the opening time but a demand at that rate was not met, small buyers bidding 1/3 December. The tone at the close was steady with sellers at 1/3 September /November and 1/2 31/32 December /February, buyers at 1/3 1/32 Cash /October and 1/3 January /February.

## U.S. DOLLARS

Were relatively steady. There were sellers at 30 for near delivery at the opening but subsequently 30 1/16 was offered. The market closed at 1 p.m. with sellers at 30 1/8 September, possibly October, buyers at 30 3/16 Cash /October and 30 1/8 November /December.

## SHANGHAI DOLLARS

171 1/2 sellers at the opening. The market closed at 1 p.m. with sellers at 174, buyers at 174 3/4.

## SHANGHAI MARKET

At a slightly lower level than yesterday, opening at 8.11/16, receding later to 8.21/32, 8.9/16 and 8 1/2 but reacted to 8.19/32 at the close. U.S. Dollars were quoted in Shanghai at 17 3/8 at the opening. The closing rate was 17 1/4.

## THE AFTERNOON

The market continued steady in the afternoon. No business was reported.

## STERLING

The market closed with sellers at 1/3 September /November and 1/2 31/32 January /February, buyers at 1/3 1/32 Cash /October and 1/3 January /February.

## U.S. DOLLARS

Sellers at 30 1/8 September and 30 1/16 October /November, buyers at 30 3/16 Cash /October and 30 1/8 November.

## SHANGHAI DOLLARS

173. The market closed at 17 3/8 at the opening. The closing rate was 17 1/4.

## H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE

## YESTERDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

The favourable political news from Europe, has resulted in a more confident tone in the local market. This confidence has been reflected in a general all round improvement in the popular stocks, many of which have registered substantial gains during the day. The closing tone is steady with unsatisfied buyers still in evidence.

## BUYERS

Hong Kong Bank, \$1430.  
Canton Insurance, \$225.  
Union Insurance, \$510.  
H. K. & K. Wharves, \$1304.  
Providents (Old), \$7.05.  
Providents (New), \$6.85.  
H. & S. Hotels, \$7.05.  
H. K. Lands, \$381.  
H. K. Realities, \$5.60.  
H. K. Tramways, \$17.05.  
Peak Trams (Old), \$81.  
China Lights (Old), \$11.20.  
H. K. Electric, \$591.  
Sandakan Lights, \$9.35.  
Dairy Farms, \$25.75.  
Watsons, \$8.

## SELLERS

Douglases, \$681.  
H. K. Steamboats, \$214.

## SALES

Hong Kong Bank, \$1435.  
Union Insurance, \$507/10.  
H. K. & K. Wharves, \$1301.  
Providents (Old), \$6.70/72.  
Providents (New), \$6.35/55.  
H. & S. Hotels, \$7/10.  
H. K. Tramways, \$17.15.  
China Lights (Old), \$11.35.  
H. K. Electric, \$582/91.  
Dairy Farms, \$25.40/75.  
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Antamoka, \$1.37.  
Baguio Gold, 24.  
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San Maurico Ex. rts., 69.  
Suyoc Consol., 171.  
United Paracels, 311.

## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

(Through Reuter's Service)

## QUOTATIONS

1938	High	Low	Dow Jones Average	Sept. 17	High	Low	Close	Change
145.87	98.55	30	Industrial	131.81	135.24	133.49	134.10	2.26 up
32.77	19.00	30	Rails	24.01	25.03	24.85	24.75	.74 up
22.55	15.14	30	Utilities	17.84	18.12	17.71	17.98	.08 up
92.70	83.39	40	Bonds	86.42	86.38	86.38	86.38	0.00
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Amer. Waterworks		84	Montgomery Ward	43	44 1/2
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Atchafalpa, T. & S. Fe.	291	301	Nat. Distillers	211	22
Auburn Motors	31	4	Nat. Power & Light	51	61
Baltimore & Ohio	61	61 1/2	Nat. Supply Corp.	131	14
Barber & Co.	161	171	New York Central	144	151
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Borg-Warner	291	311	Pacific Gas & Elec.	251	251 1/2
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Great Northern Iron			Chase National Bk.	27 1/2	27 1/2
Ore	111	12	National City Bank	21 1/2	21 1/2
Great Northern Ry.	151	171	Call Money	1%	1%



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## BURMA AT THE B. I. F.

An invitation has been forwarded officially to the Burma Government to take part in the 1939 British Industries Fair to be held in London from February 20 to March 3 next.

This invitation has been encouraged by the success attending the display of Burmese industries and railway, shipping and airway activities in the Burma Pavilion at the Empire Exhibition, Glasgow.

## MONDAY'S BILL OF HEALTH

Five cases each of cholera and dysentery are shown in the health report for the 24 hours ended midnight Monday.

The following diseases were notified in the Colony during last week:—

Cholera, 17 cases; 15 deaths; diphtheria, 9 cases; 6 deaths; enteric fever, 9 cases; 2 deaths; measles, 3 cases; 2 deaths; cerebrospinal meningitis, 2 cases; dysentery, 36 cases; 13 deaths; 90 deaths of tuberculous.

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 Rachmaninoff Concerto

12-12.20 p.m. Relay of Service of Intercession from St. John's Cathedral.

12.30 p.m. Orchestra Raymond and Herbert E. Groh (Tenor)

Song Of The Vagabonds—Intro- ducing "Huguette's Waltz". Only a Rose—Introducing "Some Day" (from The Vagabond King) Friml-

—Orchestra Raymond cond. by G. Walter; Today Is The Day (Herm. Schutze—Buchi); Wine Waltz (Gross-Steidl)—Herbert E. Groh with Orchestra (sung in German);

The Dancing Clock (Ewing); Poupee Valsante (Poldini)—Orchestra Raymond; Only For You—Waltz Song (Doelle-Amberg);

Water Lilies (Dobner-Zaner)—Herbert E. Groh with Orchestra (sung in German); Tristich, Tristich—Polka (J. Strauss); The Grand Duchess—Galop (Offenbach)—Orchestra Raymond cond. by G. Walter.

1 p.m. Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.05 p.m. Roy Fox and His Orchestra with Josephine Baker (Vocal).

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 G.S.H. 21.47m.c. (13.97m.)  
 G.S.O. 15.18m.c. (19.79m.)  
 Trans. I (G.S.O., G.S.G., G.S.B.)  
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10.45 a.m.—At Home and Abroad." (A).

11.10—Luncheon Music (A).

11.30—Afternoon Musical Programme (A).

2.00 p.m.—"Green Fields and Pavements." Talk by Henry Wilhamson (D1).

2.15—Chamber Music of Dvorak The Kitcher String Quartet (D1).

2.50—"Over the Farm Gate." Talk by J. A. Scott Watson (D1).

3.05—"At the Court of King Mark." (D1).

3.50—News (D1).

4.30—"At Home and Abroad." (A).

4.45—Sporting News and Notes (A).

5.25—Commentary on News (A).

6.00—"As You Like It." (A).

6.45—"Songs I Like." Webster Booth, tenor (D2).

6.30—"Emma and Erbert." (A).

7.15—"Radio Pic." (D2).

7.30—"The Adventures of Captain Kettle." (A).

7.45—"Harry Bloom's Dance Band (A).

8.15—"The Wessex Players (D2).

8.45—"Dance Music (D2).

8.50—"Recorded Feature (A).

9.30—News (D2).

10.00—"The BBC Empire Orchestra (D3).

11.00—"River of Ships. (D3).

12.00—News (D3).

12.20 a.m.—Dance Music (D3).

12.40—"World Affairs." Talk by H. Wickham Steed (D3).

A—Australia.

D.I.—Davenport, Trans. I.

D.II.—Davenport, Trans. II.

D.III.—Davenport, Trans. III.

H.I.—Holland-India

tunes of the last half century—arr. Herman Finck)—Herman Finck & His Orchestra.

11 p.m. Close down.

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Suggesting that this country should be the cheapest place in which to hold food stocks, Mr. J. M. Keynes, the economist, in a paper read to the British Association at Cambridge recently, declared that by that method Great Britain could store £500,000,000 worth of foodstuffs at an annual cost of £20,000,000.

His proposal was that the Government should offer storage to all Empire producers of specified raw materials free of warehouse charges and for a nominal interest charge provided they shipped their surplus produce to approved warehouses in this country.

The Government would not become the outright owners of the stocks in question, which would remain in the ownership of the depositors, who would run the risk of price changes and would be free to dispose of them at any time.

The cost to the Treasury small in relation to the volume of resources involved. The total cost, he thought, would vary with the commodity, but it might average perhaps at 4 per cent; thus we could store £500,000,000 worth of stuff at an annual cost of £20,000,000.

He suggested that this side of the Essential Commodities Reserves Act should be employed to make this country the cheapest place in which to hold stocks, and

this should be done in collaboration with Empire producers.

Favouring this policy of the Government of accumulating stocks of food in time of war, Mr. Keynes, who was indisposed and whose paper was read by Dr. G. F. Shove, said that the competitive system abhorred the existence of stocks.

The cost of storage and interest was fairly high, while the length of time for which holding would be necessary and the ultimate normal price were both matters of great uncertainty.

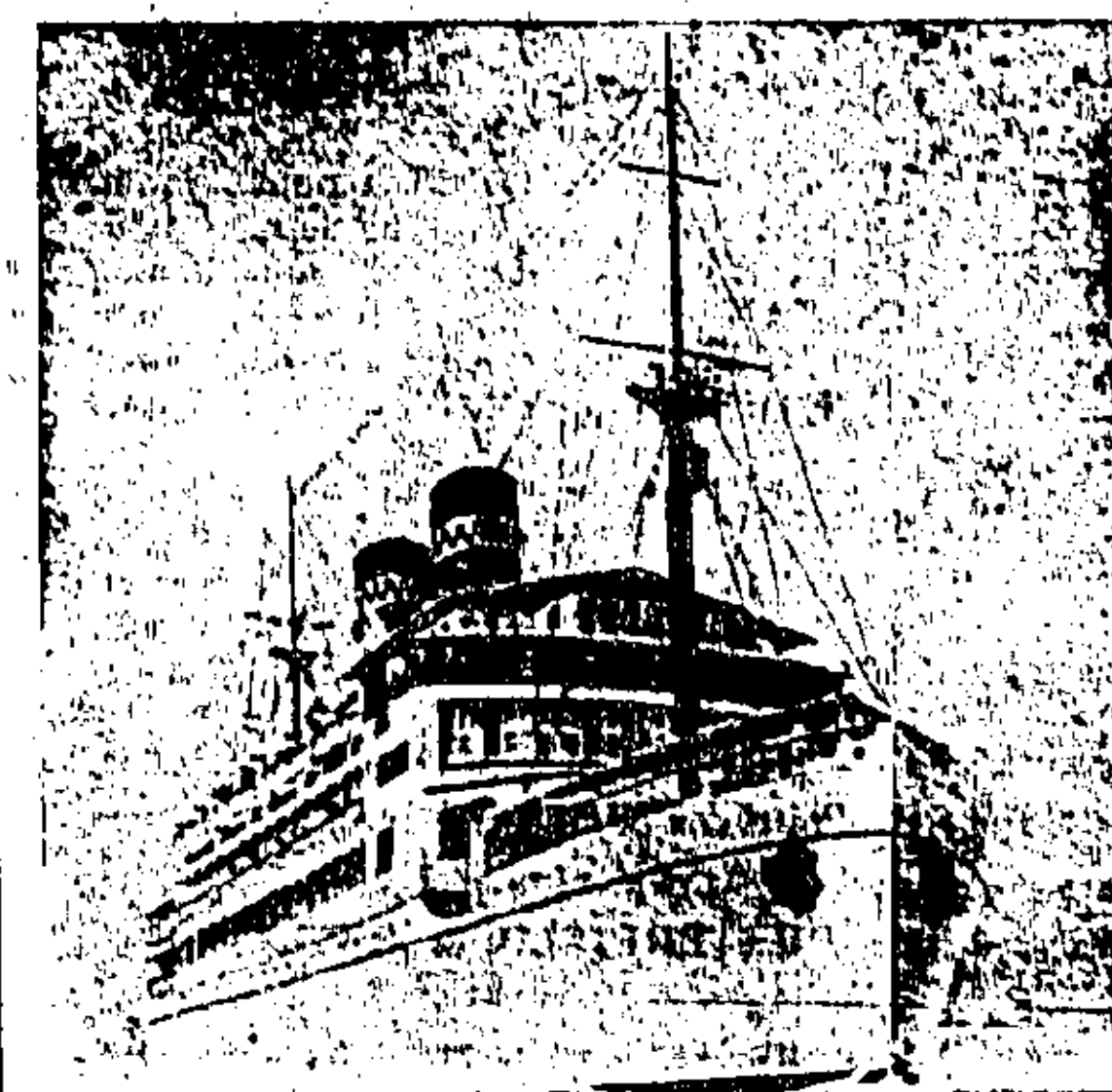
A cautious user would rather pay the current price for his raw materials on which his own selling prices were based than run a speculative risk.

On the other hand, the long-term holding power of the outside speculator could only be called into action by a drastic fall in price. For these reasons the fluctuations in the prices of the principal raw materials which were marketed in conditions of unrestricted competition were quite staggering.

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# NORTHWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO COAST  
PORTS AND JAPAN

**Baltimore**  
Grete Maersk, Jobson's, Sept. 27.  
Jeff Davis, Thorsen's, Sept. 30.  
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Grete Maersk, Jobson's, Sept. 27.  
Jeff Davis, Thorsen's, Sept. 30.  
Tai Ping, Dowdall's, Oct. 23.  
**Cristobal**  
Grete Maersk, Jobson's, Sept. 27.  
Jeff Davis, Thorsen's, Sept. 30.  
Tai Ping, Dowdall's, Oct. 23.  
**Honolulu**  
Emp. of Canada C. P. S., Oct. 14  
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, Oct. 20.  
**Los Angeles**  
Roseville, Bank Line, Sept. 25.  
Grete Maersk, Jobson's, Sept. 27.  
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, Oct. 20.  
Tai Ping, Dowdall's, Oct. 23.  
**Panama**  
Grete Maersk, Jobson's, Sept. 27.  
Jeff Davis, Thorsen's, Sept. 30.  
Tai Ping, Dowdall's, Oct. 23.  
**Philadelphia**  
Grete Maersk, Jobson's, Sept. 27.  
Jeff Davis, Thorsen's, Sept. 30.  
Tai Ping, Dowdall's, Oct. 23.  
**Portland, Ore**  
Roseville, Bank Line, Sept. 25.  
**San Francisco**  
Roseville, Bank Line, Sept. 25.  
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, Oct. 20.  
**Seattle**  
Roseville, Bank Line, Sept. 25.  
Tulthylbus, B. & S., Oct. 17.  
**Tacoma**  
Roseville, Bank Line, Sept. 25.

TO SWATOW, SHANGHAI | TO SINGAPORE, PENANG

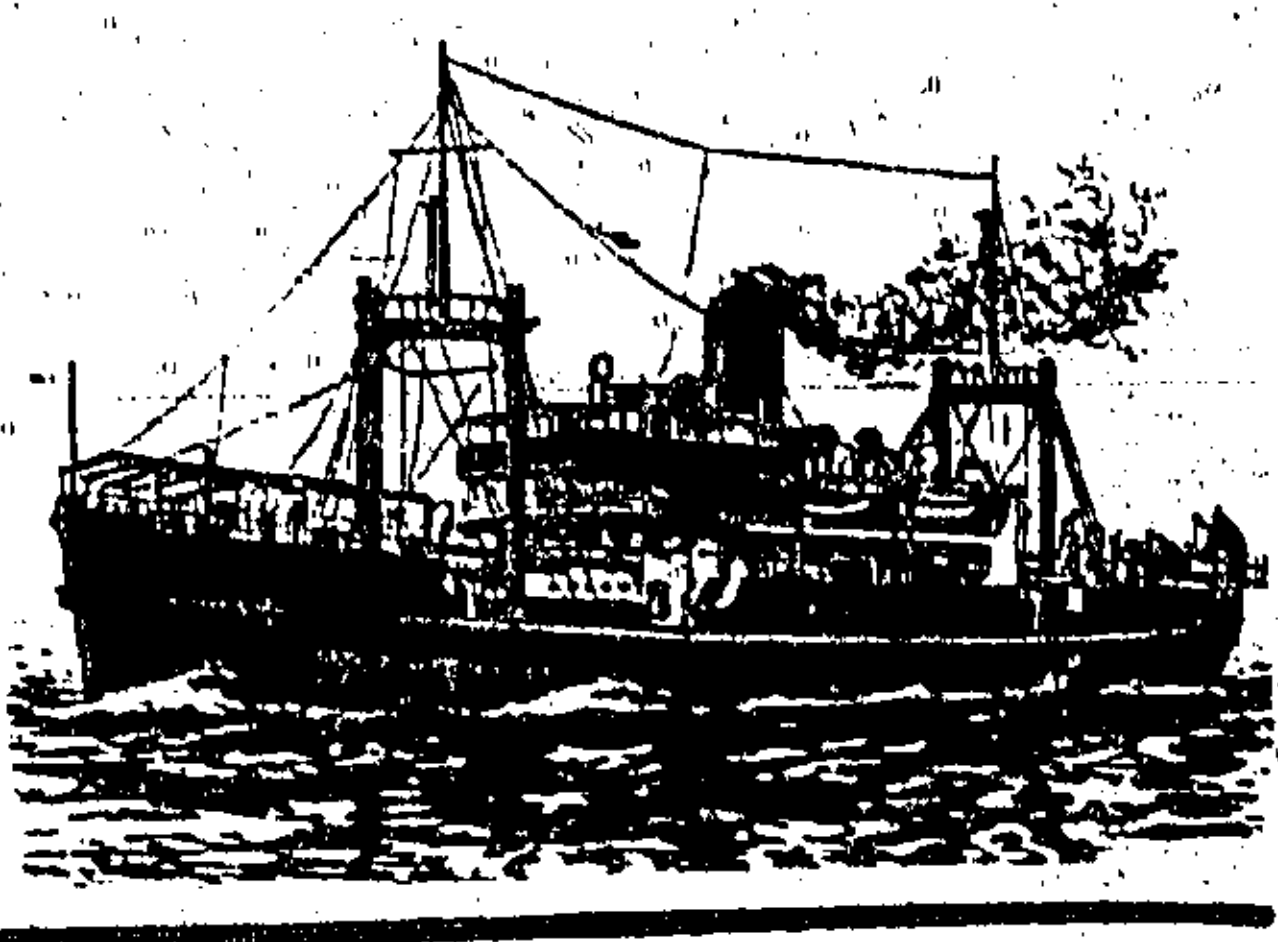

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 \* "Lessang" 21st Sept. 3 p.m.  
 \* "Tai Seun Hon" 23rd Sept. 4 p.m.  
 \* "Takang" 25th Sept. 4 p.m.  
 \* "Kwising" 27th Sept. 3 p.m.  
 \* "Wingsang" 30th Sept. 4 p.m.  
 \* "Yatching" 2nd Oct. 2 p.m.  
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**TO SANDAKAN**  
 "Hinsang" 29th Sept. 10 a.m.  
 "Maussang" 14th Oct. 10 a.m.

**TO HAIPHONG**  
 "Yaichang" 23rd Sept. Noon  
 "Fausang" 29th Sept. Noon

**and CALCUTTA**  
 "Yuensang" 29th Sept. 2 p.m.  
 "Islami" 30th Oct. 2 p.m.

**TO KOBE and OSAKA**  
 "Hoasang" 23rd Sept., 9 a.m.  
 "Suissang" 7th Oct., 9 a.m.



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## HONG KONG TIDE TABLE

From 21 to 27 Sept. 1938.					
HIGH WATER.			LOW WATER.		
Days of Week	Date	Hong Kong Standard Time.	Height	Hong Kong Standard Time	Height
Wed.	21	h. m.	ft. in.	h. m.	ft. in.
		08 45	7 2	00 35	13 45
Thur.	22	07 50	7 3	01 25	13 45
Fri.	23	06 50	7 3	01 25	14 22
Sat	24	21 20	8 2	03 15	14 44
Sun.	25	10 25	6 6	03 20	15 22
Mon.	26	21 10	6 6	05 55	15 55
Tue.	27	11 58	5 7	05 10	16 24
		23 10	5 1	16 51	16 51

## WEATHER REPORT

**HONG KONG ROYAL  
OBSERVATORY**  
10 a.m., Sept. 2  
Barometer (at sea level), 29.72  
Temperature, 87 F.  
Humidity, 73 per cent.  
Wind direction, East.  
Wind force (Beaufort), 3.  
Temperature; maximum yesterday  
88 F.  
Temperature; minimum last night  
79 F.  
Rainfall for 24 hours ending  
today, 0.00 ins.  
Total rainfall, since January  
46.48 ins.  
Against an average of, 74.54  
Sunset, tonight, 6.23 p.m.  
Sunrise tomorrow, 6.12 a.m.  
4 p.m., Sept. 2  
Barometer (at sea level), 29.68

**EASTWARD**  
**FROM HONG KONG TO NORTH**  
**AND SOUTH AMERICA**

**Balboa**

Grete Maersk Jebsen's, Sept. 27.  
Jeff Davis, Thoresen's, Sept. 30.  
Tai Ping, Dodwall's, Oct. 23.

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Temperature, 84 F.  
Humidity, 81 per cent.  
Wind direction, North/East.  
Wind force (Beaufort), 4.  
Maximum temperature, 88 F.  
Minimum temperature, 79 F.  
Rainfall, 0.04 inches.

Semarang

...ville; Bank Line, Sept. 3  
 ...negara, J. C. J. Line, Oct.  
**Sydney**  
 ...to Maru, N. Y. K., Sept.  
 ...kin, E. & A. S.S. Co., O  
 ...tana, Gibb's, Oct. 1.  
 ...angle, B. & S., Oct. 13.  
**Thursday Island**  
 ...angle, B. & S., Oct. 13.  
**Townsville**  
 ...kin, E. & A. S.S. Co., O  
 ...angle, B. & S., Oct. 13.  
**Talagi**  
 ...derun, Melobers, Sept. 3

**"WESTWARD**  
**FROM HONG KONG TO EUROPE**  
**AFRICA, ETC.**

**Aden**

Talabot, Thoresen's, Sept. 22.  
India, E. A. Co., Sept. 25.  
Sarpedon, B. & S., September 21.  
Behar, P. & O., Sept. 24.  
Katori, M. & L., Sept. 24.  
Chirhage, P. & O., Oct. 1.  
Souidan, P. & O., Oct. 8.  
Grootekerk, J. C. J. Line, Oct. 11.  
**African Ports**  
Boissevain, J. C. J. Line, Oct. 8.  
**Antwerp**  
Talabot, Thoresen's, Sept. 22.  
Regensburg, Meichers, Sept. 23.  
Behar, P. & O., Sept. 24.  
Nagara, Gumann's, Sept. 29.  
Burgeland, Jepsen's, Oct. 6.  
Souidan, P. & O., Oct. 8.  
Hectorik, Leaky's, Oct. 9.  
Grootekerk, J. C. J. Line, Oct. 11.  
**Boston and New York**  
Silverwalnut, Furness, Sept. 27.  
Stanes' Prince, Furness, Oct. 11.  
**Bombay**  
Jeypore, P. & O., Sept. 21.  
Kunimsia, Haru, N. K., Sept. 28.  
London, P. & O., Oct. 8.  
Riddergrey, P. & O., Oct. 12.

## SOUTHWARD

**FROM HONG KONG TO COAST  
PORTS, MANILA, AUSTRALIA**

**Australian Ports, East and West**  
Atuta Maru, N. Y. K. Sept. 24.  
Nankin, E. & A. S.S. Co. Oct. 1.  
Neptuna, Gibbs', Oct. 1.  
Changtse, B. & S. Oct. 13.

**Bali**  
Tjinegars, J. C. J. Line, Oct. 4.

**Bangkok**  
Hellas, Thoresen's, Sept. 21.  
Kweiyang, B. & S. Sept. 21.  
Helios' Thoresen's, Sept. 23.  
Roissevain, J. C. J. Line, Oct. 8.

**Batavia**  
Granville, Bank Line, Sept. 22.  
Tjiselak, J. C. J. Line, Sept. 27.

**Belawan-Deli**  
Scharnhorst, Melchers', Sept. 22.  
Regensburg, Melchers', Sept. 23.

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hours prior to vessel's arrival, but carried  
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call to which no option extends.

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Goods have left the Godowns, and all  
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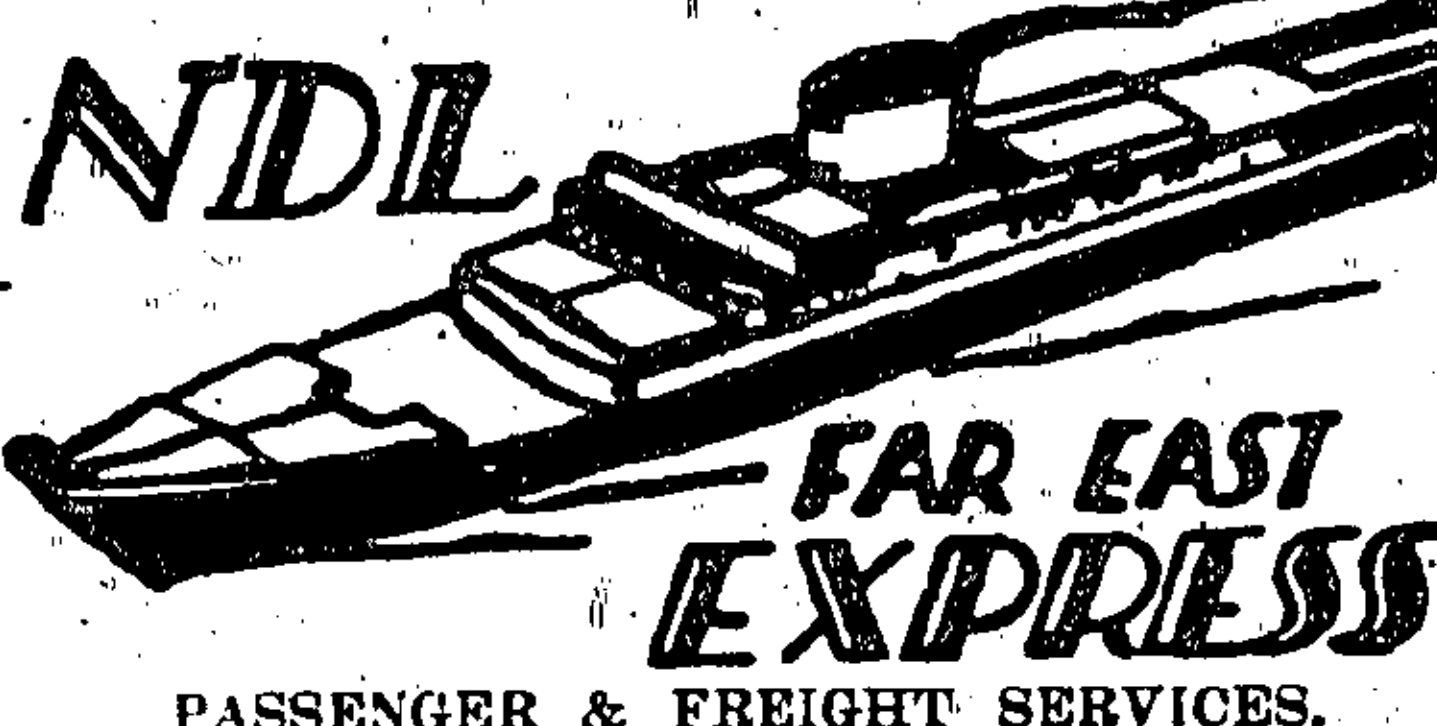
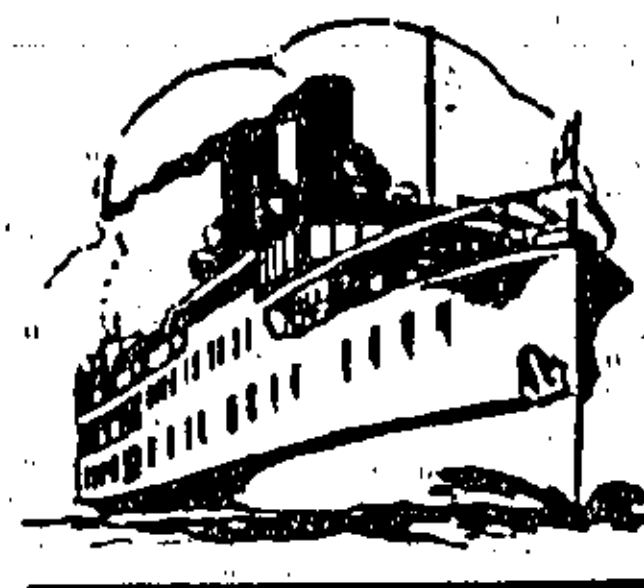
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## NO DEFINITE RESULTS

### In Two Hockey Matches

THE SEMI-FINALS of the Royal Scots Inter-platoon hockey tournament were played at Sookunpoo yesterday, both matches being drawn, the scores in each case being two-goals all.  
"B" Coy. met H.Q. Coy. and although extra time was played no definite result was reached. In the other match the opposing teams were "A" Coy. and "C" Coy., the teams were:  
"B" COY.:—Dickson, Wilson, Gorton, Wilks, Clarke, Shevelon, Capt. Mastersmith, Sgt. Barron, Meekle, Archibald, Edmonds.  
H.Q. COY.:—Sgt. Waddle, Thomson, Pirie, Fowler, Sgt. Fraser, Graham, L.C. Keane, Capt. Gellerton, Phikuse, Gelroy, Lang.  
"C" COY.:—McCready, Wilson, Dudgeon, Spaulding, Brown, Turner, Milroy, Heave, Paterson, Black, Plumber.  
"A" COY.:—Cpl. Robb, L.C. England, Capt. Godley, Milne, Cairns, Stevenson, Rolinson, Allan, Fergus, Morris, Taylor.

## CHINESE ART FOR EUROPE

### Mr. Jack Chen To Take Collection

Early in October, Mr. Jack Chen, whose character sketches at the war front, which have been appearing in the "Hong Kong Daily Press," have won much favourable comment, is taking to Europe an Exhibition of Graphic Art, on behalf of the Chinese Federation of Artists. It is to be selected from the best work now being done in China both by Chinese and Western artists. Mr. Chen has just returned from a tour of the war areas and has brought with him a collection of posters, cartoons and paintings.  
There are a number of fine artists practising in Hongkong, and Mr. Chen desires to add as many examples as possible of the best work of these artists to the collection which he is taking to Europe. Hongkong artists, irrespective of nationality, who wish to contribute some of their pictures to this exhibition are asked to write at once to Mr. Luis Chan, No. 1 Des Voeux Road.  
It is hoped to hold in Hongkong, about October 1, an exhibition of the works selected.

## ROYAL SCOTS TO HOLD TRIAL

### Preparing For The Soccer Season

The Royal Scots are holding a football trial today at Sookunpoo when the following teams will take part:  
Blues: L/C. Duncan, Sgt. Barron, Sgt. Fraser, Cpl. Brown, Cpl. Proctor, Clarke, Munro, L/C. Keane, L/C. Hossack, Allan, McKay.  
Whites: Gilroy, Fleming, L/C. Garrie, McDonald, Cpl. Milroy, Symons, Plunkrose, Sgt. Fraser, McDonald, Fowler, Salfer.  
Referee—C.S.M. Gibson.  
Reserves—Adamson, 28 Fraser, Pow, Sgt. Robertson, Callaghan.  
Linesmen—Adamson and Pow.  
Trainer—Sgt. Whippley.

## THREE RIDING MISHAPS

THREE ACCIDENTS featured the training at the Valley yesterday but fortunately none of them resulted in injury of a serious nature.  
The first involved J.C.I. No. 53, a new 1938 Australian pony belonging to Mr. J. H. Jensen, when it threw its Russian riding boy near the 2 mile post and then ran back to the stable.  
J.C.I. No. 47, another new Australian pony belonging to the "Eve" Stable, was the cause of its Russian riding boy being thrown. The pony and rider came down together, but beyond a scratch on the elbow, the rider suffered no serious injury.  
Mr. Chan, a novice jockey, took out Cuban Love, a 1938 China Subscription griffin, but after galloping the last quarter mile, the pony ran away with him. The rider was unable to stop the pony, and when nearing the 1 3/4 mile post he was thrown. He was shaken up, but was apparently none the worse for his experience.

## SPORTS FLASHES

A. H. ISMAIL, of the Indian Recreation Club, who contemplated going in for the Harbour Swim this year has given up the idea. He has been greatly handicapped in his training owing to pressure of work.

IT IS UNDERSTOOD the Royal Scots are trying to run a cricket team this winter. They have a number of officers who are considered to be of "very good" standard.

W. H. COLLEDGE, it is understood, together with some other stalwarts, are getting up a cricket team to play on Sundays and holidays only. An excellent idea, Bill, good luck to you!

ERNIE LAMBERT, the Club soccer and rugby player, has lately devoted much time to the Japanese art of self-defence, judo. A number of members of the Football Club have also taken it up.

## CAMBRIDGESHIRE CALL-OVER

London, Sept. 20.  
The following is the latest call-over for the Cambridgeshire: 100/8 Michoumy (t and o) 13/1 Domana (t and o) 18/1 Agincourt (o) 20/1 Gainly (o), 25/1 (t) 20/1 Golden Sovereign (o), 25/1 (t) 20/1 Bombay Duck (o) 25/1 Couvert (o) 25/1 Carlisle (o) 25/1 Daytona (o) 25/1 Innisboffin (o) 25/1 Khasnadar (o), 28/1 (t) 25/1 Hazel (o), 28/1 (t) 40/1 April 3 (o).

CESAREWITCH  
The following is the latest call-over for the Cesarewitch: 100/7 Black Speck (o) 100/8 Snpewood (o) 100/8 Fet (o), 18/1 (t) 20/1 Punch (o), 25/1 (t) 25/1 Slipon (t and o) 25/1 Coup de Roi (o) 25/1 Dubonnet (o) 25/1 Near Relation (o) 25/1 Naval Display (o) 25/1 Fairing (o) 25/1 Calibate (o) 25/1 Olympus (o). —Reuter.

## U.S. BASEBALL RESULTS

New York, Sept. 20.  
The following are the results of baseball matches played yesterday:—

AMERICAN LEAGUE  
R. H. E.  
Philadelphia ..... 3 12 1  
Cleveland ..... 4 4 0  
(Heath homered for the Indians).  
Washington ..... 12 17 0  
Detroit ..... 2 5 0  
(Bonura homered for the Senators).  
New York ..... 1 6 3  
St. Louis ..... 13 17 2  
(McQuinn and Sullivan homered for the Browns). —Reuter.

## ARMY TENNIS LEAGUE

In an Army Small Units Tennis League match played at Sookunpoo yesterday H. Q. Wing of the Royal Scots lost to the A Coy, Middlesex by three sets to six.  
Scores:  
Hewitt and Fangley (Royal Scots) lost to Major Money and Sgt. Fraser 0-6  
lost to Capt. Gilbertson and Q. M. S. Thomson 2-6  
lost to S/S Lang and Pte. Wells 1-6  
C. S. M. Northcott and C. Q. M. S. Paterson (Royal Scots) beat Money and Fraser 5-2  
beat Gilbertson and Thomson 6-4  
beat Lang and Wells 6-2  
Pte. Harlock and Pte. Coomes (Royal Scots) lost to Money and Fraser 6-6  
lost to Gilbertson and Thomson 1-6  
lost to Lang and Wells 1-6.

## RUGBY FOOTBALL

London, Sept. 19.  
The following were the results of rugby matches played today: Pontypool ..... 6 Cardiff Cross Keys ..... 7 Aberavon —Reuter.

## AREA MARATHON RACE

The Area Marathon team race will be held at Repulse Bay tomorrow at 3 p.m.

## U.S. WOMEN'S GOLF

### Curtis Cup Players Tie For Medal

Wilmette, Ill., Sept. 19.  
On the Westmoreland country Club's course, the qualifying round of the American Women's Golf Championship was played today.  
The qualifying score is 94. Dorothy Traung, of San Francisco, and Mrs. Julius Page, of Sedgfield, the holder, both American, Curtis Cup players, tied for the qualifying medal with 80 each.  
Miss Jessie Anderson, of Craigle-hill (Britain) and Miss Clarrie Tiernan, of County Louth (Britain), each had 84, and were followed by the British ladies in this order Mrs. J. B. Walker, of Malahide, with 88; Miss Phyllis Wade, of Ferndown, with 90; Mrs. A. C. Critchley (formerly Miss Diana Fishwick), with 90; and Miss Nan Baird, of Prestwick, with 94.

### TORRE UP CARD

Mrs. R. H. Wallace Williamson, of Gullane, tore up her card on the 17th and retired from the match-play stage, which starts tomorrow.  
All the British ladies named are Curtis Cup players of this year with the exception of Mrs. Critchley.  
Mrs. Williamson was the non-playing captain and manager of the team.  
Conditions today were miserable. Heavy rain fell throughout play and the weather very cold. —Reuter.

## STANLEY RAID SEQUEL

(Continued from Page 1)  
Mr. J. Whyatt said that defendants' place of activity was a remote spot on Stanley Peninsula. About 1 a.m. on August 12, a Chinese detective stationed at Stanley Station received information as a result of which he went to the Peninsula, accompanied by three informers. They came to a match which was very cleverly concealed. It was practically invisible from the sea and there was a large fishing net spread over the roof.

### WORKING AT PILL MACHINE

The match was lit by six candles, and on walking inside the detective saw all the defendants sitting at a table. The woman was by some cooking pots, apparently boiling water.  
Leung was working at a pill machine on which was some pink mass. Li was engaged in weighing some pink mass on a pair of scales. Chau was making pills on a machine, while Yiu was squeezing a quantity of the pink mass in his hands.  
A drying cupboard and other paraphernalia were also in the room.  
Chan Yee, the woman, in the witness-box, stated that she had been employed by Leung Sze, to cook for the other members of the match. She did not know what the pills were used for and when she inquired, one of them told her that it was for curing stomach pains while yet another told her that the pills were used for curing malaria.

### TAKEN TO STANLEY

Third defendant, Li Man-lok, 19, stated that on August 16 he was taken to Stanley and introduced to Leung Sze who told him that he would be paid \$12 monthly for making drugs. He did not know that that meant making red pills, but eventually when he discovered this fact, he informed Leung Sze of his desire to leave the place.  
Chan Wing, a relative of Li, also gave evidence.  
Fifth defendant, Yu Kai-ming, said that as he needed money to go to his mother who was ill in the country he accepted employment from Leung Sze.  
After submissions by Counsel, the jury retired for a period of ten minutes and returned a unanimous verdict of guilty against the first, third and fifth defendants. The second and fourth accused, respectively, had previously admitted the charge.

## CHINA'S FAVOURABLE TRADE BALANCE

Hankow, Sept. 20.  
Customs statistics reveal a favourable balance of trade at Shanghai last August. Total imports for the month was \$20,773,379, and total exports \$25,140,925, resulting in a favourable balance of \$387,544. —Central News.

## FOREIGN MAILS

Surcharged air mail letters may be posted in the ordinary posting boxes. They should be clearly marked "By Air Mail" and bear sufficient postage. Insufficiently prepaid letters may be taxed with double the deficiency or forwarded by Steamer Service, at the discretion of the Post Office.

Letters and Postcards for Europe (except Great Britain and Eire) and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superscribed.

Air Mail Services to Shanghai, Nanking, Tientsin, Tientsin and Peking are temporarily suspended.

Parcel Post Service to the Province of Yunnan is temporarily suspended.

## INWARD MAILS

From	Per	Due
Shanghai	Kiangsu	21st Sept
Japan	Jeypore	21st Sept
Shanghai	Regensburg	21st Sept
Air Mail by "Pan-American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco, date 14th September, U.S.A., Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C. date, 3rd September)	Pan-American Airways Plane	22nd Sept.
Japan	Emp. of Asia	22nd Sept.
Tulagi and Rabaul	Santhia	22nd Sept.
Straits and EUROPE via Negapatam (Letters and Papers) London date 25th August.	Friderun	22nd Sept.
Japan, Shanghai and Europe via Siberia—London date 1st Sept.	Boisevaln	22nd Sept.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 17th September	Scharnhorst	22nd Sept.
Shanghai and Swatow	Imperial Airways Plane	23rd Sept.
Shanghai	Hupel	23rd Sept.
Japan	Laomedon	23rd Sept.
Japan and Shanghai	Atsuta Maru	23rd Sept.
Straits	Behar	23rd Sept.
Straits and Manila	Conte Verde	23rd Sept.
Straits (Parcels only)	Memnon	24th Sept.
Shanghai and Amoy	Mentor	24th Sept.
Amoy	Soochow	24th Sept.
Manila	Tjisala	25th Sept.
Straits	Roseville	25th Sept.
Parcels from Calcutta and Straits	Hakone Maru	25th Sept.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 21st September.	Yuen Sang	25th Sept.
Tientsin and Swatow	Imperial Airways Plane	27th Sept.
Japan	Yunnan	27th Sept.
Parcels from Calcutta and Straits	Bokuyo Maru	27th Sept.
Manila	Sirdhana	27th Sept.
Manila	Neptuna	28th Sept.
Gaigon	Athos II	28th Sept.
Straits and Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers) London, 1st September and London Parcels—London date, 25th August.	Ranchi	28th Sept.

## OUTWARD MAILS

REGISTERED AND PARCEL MAILS are closed 15 minutes earlier than the time given below unless otherwise stated, and where mails are advertised to close at or before 9 a.m., registered and parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m. on the previous day.

For	Per	Date and Time
WEDNESDAY		
Samshui and Wuchow	Tai Hung	Wed, 21st 8.15 AM
Kongmoon	Fook On	10.00 AM
Amoy	Shantung	10.30 AM
"Swatow and Bangkok"	Hellas	10.30 AM
"Swatow Saigon and Bangkok"	Kwaiyang	11.30 PM
Swatow, Fochow and Tientsin	Leesang	11.30 PM
Swatow, Amoy and Fochow	Hong Slang	12.30 PM
Swatow, Amoy and Fochow	Seistan	3.00 PM
Air Mail for Sian, Lanchow, Changsha and Chengtu, etc. (via Hankow) by the "Eurasia Airways Service" (To further points by surface transport as Services permit).	Eurasia Plane	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 4.30 PM Ord. 5.00 PM
THURSDAY		
Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu and U.S.A., by the "Pan American Airways Direct Service"—due San Francisco, 29th Sept.	Pan-American Airways Plane	Reg. 8.30 AM Ord. 9.00 AM
Haiphong	Ninghai	Reg. 9.00 AM Ord. 9.30 AM
Kongmoon	Tai Lee	10.00 AM
Swatow, Shanghai and Tientsin	Tai Seun Hong	11.00 AM
"Manila and Parcels only for Germany via Hamburg"	Scharnhorst	2.30 PM
Manila	Emp. of Asia	5.00 PM
Japan	Hosang	5.00 PM
Airmail for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 29th September.	Imperial Airways Plane	K.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM
Air Mail for Malaysia and Australia by Imperial Airways Direct Service—due Sydney, 1st October.	Imperial Airways Plane	Reg. 6.00 PM Ord. 7.00 PM
FRIDAY		
Samshui and Wuchow	Tai Ming	Friday, 23rd 8.15 AM
Shanghai and "Europe" (Except Great Britain and Eire) via Siberia	Conte Verde	8.30 AM
Kongmoon	On Lee	9.00 AM
Haiphong	Yatsing	10.00 AM
Amoy	Tjinegara	10.30 AM
Swatow and Amoy	Haiching	11.00 AM
Air Mail for "K.L.M. Airways Direct Service"—due Amsterdam, 4th October	Behar	Reg. 4.15 PM Ord. 4.30 PM
Swatow and Shanghai	Taiyuan	4.30 PM
Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island—due Thursday Island, 6th October	Atsuta Maru	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 4.15 PM Ord. 4.30 PM
Straits, Ceylon, India, E. & S. Africa, Aden Egypt and Europe via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 22nd Oct.	Behar	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 4.15 PM Ord. 5.00 PM
Shanghai	Tjisara	5.00 PM

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